Monday

Profile looks at Georges
Marchais, the ailing head of
the equally ailing French
Communist Party. Since he took over as general sec-retary in 1972, support for the communists in France has planmetted. Can Mar-chaic survive? Also a new chais survive? Also a new weekly feature, "Findings", reports on some fascinating turn-ups by the archaeologists. Spectrum visits the cradle of British pop, celebrating its silver jubilee.

Less cash for crime victims

About half the victims of violent crimes will be excluded from the Government's injuries compensation scheme because the lower limit for claims has been raised from £250 to £400 from March 1, according to the National Association of Victims Support Schemes Page 3

Polar explorer airlifted off ice

David Hempleman-Adams, the lone polar walker, was airlifted off the Arctic ice, shaken and hungry. The 26-year-old adven-turer from Bristol had been trapped in his tent for four days

Output up 1.1%

Britain is leading the world out of recession. Mr Leon Brittan. Chief Secretary to the Treasury, claimed after a 1.1 per cent rise in industrial production in February was announced Page 11

Airliner seized

A Turkish airliner on an internal flight from Istanbul to Izmir was hijacked to Athens where 27 of the 107 passengers were freed. The hijackers demanded to speak with the Australian ambassador.

Train robbery

A gang of robbers hiding on an overnight mail train ransacked 60 mailbags before fleeing as the train approached Crewe Page 2

Family money

Investors in the only fund investing in the Unlisted Securi-ties Market have seen their money grow by 48 per cent over 18 months. But the City is still

Bishop flies out

The Bishop of Liverpool, Dr on his way to Argentina, the first British church leader to go there since the Falklands con-Page 4

Kohl's US talks

Chancellor Kohl of West Germany met President Reagan in Washington yesterday to review US-Soviet arms talks and to prepare for next month's economic summit

Secret flight

A drug smuggler who turned supergrass was flown out of Britain secretly in an RAF jet because of fears for his life

Cup troubles

All four FA Cup semi-finalists, Manchester United, Arsenal, Brighton and Sheffield Wednesday have had their plans disrupted by injuries Page 22

Marathon critic

by concern at the Bannite direction it was adopting appeared to have thwarted in Ron Hill, the world's most December by a counter-coup.

At a board meeting which experienced long distance runner, said that marathon running neither attended it was agreed in Britain has not progressed ince his heyday in 1969-70 to set up an employee shareholding scheme which enabled the employees effectively to buy

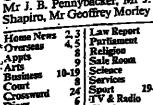
Saturday

in today's edition of Saturday, David Hewson examines how he real ale revolution has ransformed the drinking habits of millions of Britons. The ight-page arts and leisure ection of *The Times* also looks how the Royal Family is ortrayed in videos, the fertile eck island of Kos, how to 2 ild a Victorian-type conservary on your home and the veck's coming events in the

Leader page, 7
Letters: Citizen's advice bureaux, from Mr J. A. Millson; war widows, from Mr Merlyn Rees, and Mrs L Strange; bird protection, from Mr Ian Prest Leading articles: Timing of election; Economic recovery.

Features, page 8 ideas for lenerating new Battersea; how television trivializes politics; a thumping debut

for jumbo polo Obituary, page 8 Mr J. B. Pennybacker, Mr J. S.



Thatcher rallying call for three

By Philip Webster, Political Reporter

wins in a row

night put Conservative parlia-mentary candidates on the alert She told

sized last night, as she had in radio and television interviews earlier, that she had not yet decided whether to go to the country in June and would wait until after the fourth anniversary of the May 1979 victory before considering the matter.

She tantalized her audience of parliamentary hopefuls in an after-dinner speech in which she said there were four options for the election: June, October, next servative Party Candidates March, and May 1984.

Mrs Thatcher, who had earlier spoken on radio of her vision of a return to the "eternal" values of the Victorian era, told the candidates to set their sights on achieving

Tory rule well into the 1990s. Recalling her oft-repeated remarks that her Government would need two parliaments, she said that the revised objection must now be to ensure that there were three Conservative governments.

were nothing more than would have been expected in such an occasion, but her confident message clearly warned the candidates to be ready for June. When the election came they must put forward the Government's positive policies on the

Local party

challenge

to Silkin

By Our Political Staff

Mr John Silkin's attempt to

take control of the Tribune

newspaper has run into such fierce opposition within his

local constituency party that his position as an MP may by challenged.

Four of the ward branches in

his seat at Lewisham, Deptford, have passed resolutions calling

on him to cease his legal action

against the left-wing journal or

to stand down as Labour

candidate at the next general

election.
Under the party's rules for

the selection of parliamentary

candidates, Mr Silkin, shadow

leader of the Commons and

Labour's chief defence spokes-

man, would not have been

opposed in a constituency

whose boundaries were only

But among some local acti-vists there is talk of mounting a

challenge to him at the usually

formal adoption meeting which

precedes the general election if he persists in his attempt.

Sources said yesterday that so

unpopular had his action against Tribune become that the

The attempt by a consortium led by Mr Silkin and Lord

Bruce of Donington to take

control of Tribune, prompted

enough shares to outvote the

consortium.

Mr Silkin and Lord Bruce

have since initiated legal action

against the Tribune staff and the

chairman of Tribune Publi-

cations, Mr Michael Meacher, MP for Oldham, West. They

have also opposed moves to set

up a friendly society, arguing

that there was no guarantee that

all its members would be

challenges might succeed.

marginally altered.

Mrs Margaret Thatcher last broad issues "on which we win services record, particularly in regard to pensioners, was good.

over the date.

The 150 candidates gathered in a Hartfordshire hotel for a rallying call and pep talk from their leader, were however, left in no doubt that June is very much an option in her mind.

She urred them to go to the their chances are promising and they were hoping to use the opportunity of conversations with Mrs Thatcher to show the lower than the one it inherited, opportunity of conversations with Mrs Thatcher to show the lower than the one it inherited, opportunity of conversations with Mrs Thatcher to show their leader, were however, left its labour legislation.

She urred them to go to the their chances are promising and they were hoping to use the opportunity of conversations with Mrs Thatcher to show their chances are promising and they were hoping to use the opportunity of conversations with Mrs Thatcher to show their chances are promising and they were hoping to use the opportunity of conversations with Mrs Thatcher to show their chances are promising and they were hoping to use the opportunity of conversations with Mrs Thatcher to show their leader, were hoping to use the opportunity of conversations with Mrs Thatcher to show their leader, were hoping to use the opportunity of conversations with Mrs Thatcher to show their leader, were however, left in their chances are promising and their chances are standing in seats where first Government to go to the their chances are promising and their chan

Lighter fuel bomb defused

A letter bomb was sent to the hotel where the Prime Minister was meeting Conservative party candidates last night. The device, addressed to Mr Jeremy Association, was defused by a

bomb disposal officer. Mr Robert Key, the candidate for Salisbury, Wiltshire, was suspicious about the 7in by 5in parcel which arrived at the Crest Motel, South Mimms,

Hertfordshire, at tea time. He made a bole in the side then carried it into the garden while police were called.

The bomb, of lighter fuel, was believed to have been sent by the Scottish National Liberation Army, which claimed responsibility for "attacks" yesterday Mr Thatcher's remarks, at the Crest Hotel in South Mimms,

achieving a property-owning eral election hopes.
democracy and that its social Continued on

for the general election but, as expected, kept them in the dark over the date.

She told them to fight on the Government's record on inattending the weekend conference are standing in seats where

much an option in her mind.

She urged them to emphasize
The Prime Minister emphathat the Government had yesterday, with little success to play down the significance of the conference, saying that it was an annual event and should not to be seen as a pre-election council of war.

If Mrs Thatcher was being reticent about the poll date and there were signs among her close advisers yesterday of a wish to dampen the speculation, the recent bout of election fever seemed but last night to have afflictd some of her more cautious senior ministers.

Mr William Whitelaw, the Home Secretary, who has favoured an October election, said in Stockport, Greater Manchester, he detected a mood of optimism. The worst of the recession was over and people were beginning to realize that in the long run the Government's policies had been right ones for creating future "We have weathered the recession because we have remained resolute."

Mr David Howell, the Secretary of State for Transport, said in Birmingham that the signs of economic recovery are produced the conditions for a quickening and Lord Hailsham more competitive Britain able of St Marylebone, the Lord to make the most of the Chancellor, emphasized the economic upturn, that it had importance of the May local pursued resolutely its policy of elections to Conservative gen-

Continued on page 2, col 2

Wife urges Nkomo to return home

By Our Diplomatic Correspondent

Mr Joshua Nkomo, the contact him in London earlier Zimbabwe Opposition leader this week. "I have not spoken to who has been living here in self-him for three weeks. If I could imposed exile for the past five do so now, I would say: "Come weeks, telephoned friends in home straight away. I know you

tions later. "My wife knows I although he insists now that his am going to return. I have personal safety is no longer the explained to you already."

Mr Nkomo's driver was shot contact with his house whose

night. "If the police can protect house.
rne. an ordinary person, how How long he intends to stay about a Member of Parlia in Britain is still a mystery. His

ment?" she added. but she had been unable to land.

Bulawayo yesterday after hear-ing that his wife was appealing Whether her plea willbe for him to return. Whether her plea willbe enough to allay Mr Nkomo's But he brushed aside ques- suspicions remains to be seen -

main barrier to his return. Mrs Hohanna Nkomo is It was presumably to reassure iving "under house arrest" in her that he contacted friends in Bulawayo, in the home where Matabeleland - avoiding direct

dead by Government troops.

Repeating her appeal on The Mr Mugabe's security forces. World at One radio programme. But he remains reticient however, she said that the about his future plans, beyond police guard had bee placed saying that he no longer fears around the house for her own for his own safety on returning

protection and at her request home – a fear which was his There were three policeme there original reason for flying to in the afternoon and more at Britain after the raid upon his

initial plan to fly home on April She had read in the news- 6 was postponed in the light of papers the assurance by Mr Mr Mugabe's rejection of Robert Mugabe, the Zimbabwe Zimbabwe's Catholic pastoral Prime Minister, that her hus-letter in which they recoiled band would be free to return, from the atrocities in Matabele-

Walesa set to meet underground again

Mr Lech Waleasa, former Mr Walesa in the latest stage of Solidarity leader, announced their investigations into the yesterday that he would again talks. meet fugitive leaders of the union underground wing despite the investigations that sition was continuing, the latest

have opened into his first secret sition was continuing, the latest ndezvous.

Speaking in Gdansk, Mr covery of a Radio Solidarity rendezvous. Walesa said: "I will have another meeting." Asked yesterday quoted a counter-inwhether this would not enwhether this would not en-danger the underground men. Mr Walesa remarked: "I powerful and of the kind Mr Walesa remarked: "I powerful and of the kind management is was safe (last time) favoured by Western intelliguarantee it was safe (last time) and I will do it again."

day interrogated the driver of

Asked yesterday quoted a counter-in-telligence official as saying the gence services. A number of The Polish authorities yester-people were detained.



the Oueen Mary Hospital, Roehampton, south London, yesterday.

Sir Larry appointed editor of 'Express'

By Rupert Morris

The Daily Express acquired its lifth new editor in six years yesterday with the appointment of Sir Larry Lamb, a former editor of The Sun, to succeed Mr Christopher Ward, editor of the Daily Express for the past 18 months.

Sir Larry will take over the editorship on Monday, after a typically brutal episode in the traditionally unpredict-able world of Fleet Street

Lord Matthews, chairman of Express Newspapers, was not available yesterday, but is



Mr Ward (left) and Sir Larry Lamb.

understood to have summe Mr Ward back from a holiday on the West Coast of America to inform him that Sir Larry Lamb was being brought in as Editor-in-Chief.

Yesterday's announcement from Express Newspapers said Mr Ward was "leaving the newspaper by mutual agree-

The move comes as no great surprise because although Mr Ward is thought by many newspaper experts to have znemerarumi leituetzdus aben to the appearance and content of the paper, he has been unable to arrest its steady decline in circulation.

Sir Larry, aged 53, when editor of *The Sun*, raised its circulation from 650,000 in 1969 to more than three million by the mid-1970s.

Although, Lord Mathews will undoubtedly be pleased to have secured Sir Larry's services, the new editor faces a daunting challenge. Circulation fell below two million, for the first time last year.

Mr Ward, aged 40, For-merly assistant editor of the Daily Mirror, told members of his staff yesterday that April 15 was an unlucky date in his family; his uncle had been a clarinet player on board the Titanic when it sank on the same day 61 years ago.

Warsaw ghetto row, page 5

BL threat to dismiss all Cowley workers

strike almost immediately.

dispute. They advised their cynically portraying their loss of members to accept a deadline cynically portraying their loss of accept to work but key influence as some sort of and return to work, but key influence as some sort of groups of workers would almost | general movement by managecertainly then follow up with ment to guerrilla strikes which would be almost as damaging as the The strik

the power base they lost two Maestros. years ago when national union leaders accepted a radical programme of new working

He said in a statement: workers of trying to disrupt 'Many of the people behind BL's recovery efforts.

Austin Rover management these wild claims about 'brut-last night accepted the challenge ality', and 'slavery' want a thrown down by the unions and threatened to dismiss all 5,000 1970s wheb every decision employees at its Cowley as-could effectively be vertoed by sembly plant unless they end any shop steward so inclined their three-week "washing-up" when dogmatic insistence or rike almost immediately. the right to veto even the most Because letters containing the minor shop floor change

threat were only dispatched to throttled our ability to compete employees late last night and with the repidly improving may not be received until later industries of Japan, and western today, the company refused to Europe." disclose details of their contents isowever, it is understood to have set a deadline for a return to work within seven

present full-scale stoppage.

practices.

when dogmatic insistence on the right to veto even the most

"Unfortunately, there are some people who once wielded the power of veto, who resent the changes which have taken The move was anticipated by place despite the fact that local union officials early in the employees have benefited dispute. They advised their Some of these people are now

ment to oppress the entire The strike looks set to go into its fourth week following Thurs-Earlier in the day Mr Harold day's vote to stay out until the Musgrove, chairman of BL's company drops plans to end the Austin Rover subsidary, act hree minute washing up cused Cowley shop stewards of period. It has already cost £60m usin the dispute to try to restore in lost production, half of it new

> Mr Norman Tebbitt, the Employment Minister, yester-day accused production line

Britain expels another Russian

By Henry Stanhope

Diplomatic Correspondent me time Diplomatic Correspondent me time
The Foreign Office has my line
expelled another Russian diplo-erves the
mat in a tit-for-tat response to
the expulsion of two Britons he skill of
from Moscow. He is Mr not be
Anatoly Chernyayev, a Third of an art
Secretary, who has been at their part of
Soviet Embassy in London assistering
labour attache since September origin of
1979.

These seems to be no mitted a suggestion that he has done kick at anything improper and the and the Foreign Office decision, which is thought to reflect Mrs rugby Thatcher's tough line in dealing at they with the Kremlin, is likely to interprebring Anglo-Soviet relations to preferee a new low.

a new low.

The Soviet Ambassador, Mr. knows
Viktor Popov, reacted angrily in hand in when he was informed by the hand Foreign Office during a brief encounter yesterday afternoon. A short statement by the Soviet Embassy later underlined Russian feelings.

Last week's Soviet decision to expel Squadron Leader David Williams, assistant air attache at the British Embassy and Mu Anthony Robinson, Moscow correspondent of the Financial Times, was in itself a tit-for-tan action after the expulsion of three Russian officials from Britain at Easter.

The Foreign Office warned the Soviet Union at the time that it would take "an extremely." serious view" of any retailiation - an unusually strong choice of words, which led observers to speculate about the possibilities of yet another sudden depar-

It now remains to be seen whether the Russians will once more retaliate and what might happen next.

Last night's explanation by tagby the Foreign Office made quite Fer-clear that this latest move is in a the response to the "unjustified in met Soviet action" against Squadron hittee Leader Williams and Mr Robin-twing

This Soviet reaction had been in no a "spiteful retaliation" for the with ejection of three Soviet citizens and. from London, who, the Foreign se is Office claimed, had been ster, spying.

A spokesman added that rem-yesterday's British action was in then response to the particular we situation created by the victi-on, mization of the two British eral citizens.

Britain will not reduce the iter's overall ceiling on Soviet diplomats in Britain. This will with remain at 43, which means that proprobably will be replaced.

The Soviet Embassy de-was scribed the British action as tion "totally unjustified" and "with-

out foundation". the
"We regard it as a political hain measure on the British side are meant to undermine Birtish-Soviet relations." The responsibility for any possible conse-par quences rested entirely with the ave British side, the Soviet spokes-ya man said.

VICTORIA WINE

APRIL

Kelpers bitter over visit

From Alan Hamilton

Port Stanley British forces in the Falkland Islands have full contingency plans ready to deal with a shipload of Argentine war dead relatives if and when they arrive to visit their discreet and well hidden war cemetery in the hills above Goose Green.

Many islanders, however, still feel biffer that the visit may go ahead. If the relatives arrive, one group of islanders is planning to drive the 60 miles over rough moorland from Port Stanley to the cemetery to hold a silent protest with banners and placards.

Sir Rex Hunt, the Civil Commissioner, told The Times yesterday that if the visit was to take place it was still essential that it be purely humanitarian, that it be capable of close control by the internation Red Cross, and that it meet all other conditions already laid down by the British Government.

"I am assured by London that the Government are in touch with the Red Cross, and I have assured councillors here that they will be closely informed", Sir Rex said.

If the ship arrives it will be guided by the Royal Navy to an anchorage near Darwin where it will be out ot sight of any settlements. Passengers will be escorted to the cemetery and escorted straight back again, and there is no question of them being allowed to visit battlefields, as the British relatives were.

The cemetery itself is set in temporary detention since across a narrow inlet from Darwin and Goose Green, on the far side of a hill so that it is his deportation from Britain, political asylum in Austria but visible from no house, set there was no question of him among moorland that is bleak even by Falklands standards.

Wine of the month Grüne Kanne Liebfraumilch A delicious example of Liebfraumilch, Germany's most popular white wine. Delicate, soft. medium-dry flavour, with a delightfully fragrant bouquet. Try this easy-to-drink wine in its attractive traditional green crock bottle today! ONLY



WHITE WINE SELECTION All white wines at Victoria Wine are coded 1 to 9: Wine are coded I to 9:
I denotes the driest, 9 the
sweetest.

Offer subject to availability,

sweetest Leading Wine Ite 5% CASE DISCOUNT By law we are not allowed to sell alcohol to anyone under 18.

Romania expels man Britain returned servative as well as the Labour ask whether the minister re-By David Nicholson-Lord benches.

A Labour MP last night called for the resignation of Mr David Waddington, Minister of State at the Home Office, after the disclosure that the young Romanian deported from Britain a month ago has now been expelled from Romania.

Mr Stancu Papusoiu, aged 29, was thrown out of Romania on April 6 and is now in a hostel in Austria, according to reports reaching a friend in Britain. Miss Shan Rees, who was Mr Papusoiu's English teacher, has received a letter from him posted in Austria earlier this

"He left Romania without any

money and he was on the train

where he was found. As far as I

understand he is under arrest at the moment. Miss Rees said last night

Mr Papusoiu: In detention.

and then to deport him led to without a ticket. I think that is considerable criticism of the that his Romanian nationality Government from the Con- was open to doubt. One must being deported.

The Government took the political refugee and that there

were some inconsistencies in his Mr David Winnick, Labour the Romanian again applied for MP for Walsall North and one asylum here. "We are a mile of the chief parliamentary critics of the decision, said he find out precisely what the facts

Home Secretary, to elicit more

a blunder in ordering Mr of the Interior last night Papusoiu's deportation. onfirmed that he had been held Papusoiu's deportation.

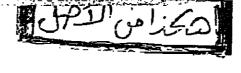
Mr Winnick added: "If he has now been expelled from April 7 in Wels, The Home Office's decision Romania it does prove the

sponsible. David Waddington, should not seriously consider line that he was not a genuine resigning."

political refugee and that there Mr Waddington last night refused to be drawn on the Home Office's likely response if

from that stage yet. We have to would be tabling a question to are first, which is what we are Mr William Whitelaw, the doing now." Mr Papusoiu is apparently facts, but the expulsion showed still holding a Romanian that the Home Office had made passport. The Austrian Ministry

The Ministry said the Romato refuse the Romanian asylum point being made at the time of nian had not yet asked for



Postal workers' leaders hail 6 per cent pay settlement

acceptance of a pay deal worth 5.8 per cent.

about 6 per cent, which is towards the upper half of settlements in the present pay and staff aged 18 about 9.7 per pay to be drawn into a wider agreement on national economic assessment, will also be settlements in the present pay and staff aged 18 about 9.7 per pay to be drawn into a wider agreement on national economic assessment, will also be composed by left-wing delegates.

round for public workers. . The Union of Communicent. cation Workers said the award The was worth more than 6 per cent union members, including posto most of its members, while tmen, sorters and counter staff, the Post Office management will be known early next month. estimated it was lower. Mr Alan agreement on a programme conomic growth will meet opposition from delegates at the conomic growth will be conomic g

secure additional increases to form of wage restraint are close differentials with supervise expected to receive strong ing grades and to get shorter support.
hours, the deal is a good one". Conference delegates will be hours, the deal is a good one". The award comprises a 5 per cent increase from the begin-of striving for a minimum wage of this month, with a further large cent from A ward to be continued to two thirds of the further large cent from A ward to be continued to the continued to further I per cent from August I national average wage, prough and other improvements, in- free collective bargaining.

Leaders of 150,000 postal the holiday into account, the conference support. The TUC-workers are recommending total value of the package was Labour agreement, which calls

increases worth about 9.7 per • Forty-thousand workers in

"Although we were unable to several motions opposing any

One motion maintains the The Post Office said the deal Nupe members gain nothing would mean a 5.5 per cent from free collective bargaining, will start in increase in the pay bill taking but that is unlikely to receive the month.

for pay to be drawn into a wider

the chemicals industry have The result of a ballot among backed their union leaders' rejection of a 4.5 per cent pay offer. Further talks are to be held with the employers when the unions will press for an offer closer to the 8 per cent increase the hourly rate which negotiators claim was agreed for 15,000 drug and fine chemical workers on Wednesday.

 One-day strikes by firemen at the end of the month look more likely as voting in regions of the Fire Brigades Union appeared to be strongly following the union executive's call a strike over pension contributions.

Delegates to a special conference called for April 26 are being mandated by their branches and if the conference backs the executive the strikes will start in the last four days of

Kraft jobs fight for Europe

committee to resist the for an indefinite strike on company's plans to switch Thursday. cheese production to Belgium and West Germany.

Mr Paul Gaffney, the union's area organizer, said they had decided to fight on a political basis. "Local and county councillors will be asked to exert pressure in the area, MPs, government departments and the Merseyside task force will be asked to exert pressure in

production to the Continent for from the company's Anglo-greater efficiency, leaving only Japanese management.

4.98 per cent pay offer from local authorities in London.

omions at the Kraft Foods plant at Kirby, in Merseyside, yesterday announced a three-point plan to try to save 930 drivers from another firm ioned the dispute of the 1,200 manual employees at the GEC-Hitachi plant, at Hirwaun, Mid Glamorgan, backed their shop ioned the dispute of the 1,200 manual employees at the GEC-Hitachi plant, at Hirwaun, Mid Glamorgan, backed their shop ioned the dispute of the 1,200 manual employees at the GEC-Hitachi plant, at Hirwaun, Mid Glamorgan, backed their shop ioned the dispute of the 1,200 manual employees at the Merseyside plant. iobs at the plant.

The eight unions represented at the factory met at the offices in Liverpool of the Union of Shop. Distributive and Allied Workers to elect an action Research Transport who voted year and they will be recommended by the Yorkshire frozen for a third workers to elect an action Research Transport who voted year and they will be recommended.

decided to strike from today in redundancies threatened by protest over the suspension of British Shipbuilders throughout

two drivers. The two men had refused to

Westminster and Euro MPs will Workers at a television face redundancy.

Westminster and Euro MPs will Workers at a television face redundancy.

Workers at a television face redundancy.

The control of the control of

The decision at a mass meeting means their pay will be frozen for a third consecutive Workers to elect an action Passenger Transport, who voted year and they will lose about £6 a week on a revised bonus

Orivers employed by Trent Shipbuilding workers in Motor Traction Bus Company, Scotland may resort to occupyin Nottingham, yesterday ing their yards if the 9,000

the country are implemented. The threat emerged yesterday transport cash takings to the at the Gowan yard, on the bank, claiming that it was a Clyde near Glasgow, where up security risk.

to a third of the 3,500 workers

Kraft says it is transferring stoppage after a closure threat and Wales last night accepted a

Nalgo's deputy general secretary chosen to take over leadership

The National and Local department. He has spent trict organizing officer in the Government Officers Associperiods as organizer in the North-west and Wales. ation (Nalgo), Britain's fourth union's health and gas sections, Mr Drain is a member of the

largest union, has chosen Mr local government service con- TUC's influencial finance and John Daly, aged 52, as general secretary to succeed Mr Geof- general secretary, before becom- committees and is one of the

Mr Daly, the deputy general Mr Daly, the deputy general secretary of the short list were secretary, was appointed by the Nalgo executive from a short list of five candidates and is expected to continue the traction of moderate leadership in the union.

He has been Nalgo official since 1968, joining the union the TUC's education the TUC's education the TUC's education assistant secretary of the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the short list were opment Council. He has been some for the safer of the safer of the seats are snapped up by been fought on the new seats, and by what margin, and so creating a simulated the first time, is the safer of the safer of the seats are snapped up by been fought on the new seats, and by what margin, and so creating a simulated the first time, is the safer of the safer of the seats are snapped up by been fought on the new seats, and by what margin, and so creating a simulated the first time, is the safer of the

Tories 'fail'

over

liberties

tradition of libertarian anti-

threat from the state to the individual than compulsory seat belts, while the liberal

elements have been routed on virtually every issue on which they have made a stand".

In 1976 Conservative MPs

joined the council in opposing extensive new powers of search and entry for Inland Revenue officials. "In 1982 the same MPs had nothing to say against

proposed police powers which would be used against ordinary people and their doctors or

Chanting peace

women sent to court cells

Eight women who disrupted a

court by singing and chanting peace songs were ordered to the cells by a magistrate who had

repeatedly warned them about their behaviour yesterday.

on February 16 were split into

two groups at Newbury Magis-

trates' court. When the first 18

were asked their names others started to sing and chant.

The women were warned

about their behaviour before eight were sent to the cells. All 32 women were eventu-ally conditionally discharged for 12 months and ordered to pay £10 costs for obstructing a 17ft

Thirty-two women accused of causing an obstruction at Greenhan Common, Berkshire,

social workers."

Gibb writes).

Thatcher rallies party's Westminster hopefuls

ditions officer and assistant general purposes and economic

Continued from page 1

tive backbench MPs to defend civil liberties beyond the threat women of Greenham and CND". They were the true heirs posed by the compulsory wearing of seat belts is attacked by the National Council for Civil Liberties in its annual report published today (Frances

Mr Michael Foot, the Labour taught that circle deader, weighed in with a salvo against "Thatcher's seven dead-Ms Patricia Hewitt, general secretary, said: "The British Conservative Party has its own statism, as well as a strong strand of tolerant liberalism increase prescription charges, not to tremendous pride in your not to double VAT, to give a good member of your law and order and provide community." But that tradition had been "commandeered by a right wing which cannot see any greater better education. It had been Those were Victorian values, promises all the way about the Prime Minister said, but economic recovery from May they were also perennial values.

Victorian values of self-reliance and a willingness to help others. Speaking in Tunbridge Wells, Kent, he also launched an outspoken attack on the "loony women of Greenham and continued "You were taught to work jolly hard, you of the loonies of the thirties who thought Hitler could be held by preaching disarmament. taught that cleanliness was next

"You were taught selfly promises". He accused her of respect, you were taught always breaking her promises to provide real jobs, cut taxes, not to

1979 to this week, Mr Foot said. People had been brought up with a sense of duty, which had Earlier, in an independent led to a tremendous improve-Radio News interview, Mrs ment in conditions in Victorian Thatcher again extelled the times.

Hebden and Plaskett lead in London chess

the Charlton Jubilee Inter-

Pric, with six points each.

Next came J Richardson with

51/2 points and one game still in

All 1.71: Bergmann 1, McShoeby 0,62. progress, followed by Arkell, Hartoch, Hawksworth, and international chess congress, Treppner 51, Conquest, Douwhich ended yesterday after ven and McKay 5 and one game nine rounds on the Swiss in progress; Condie, Crouch, system was an interesting event Manouk and Stebbings 5.

Hebden and Plaskett are included a number of leading certain to share first place and young British players.
of the rest only Richardson can it was therefore fit wide load being escorted by police to the airbase at Green-ham Common on February 16.

By Harry Golombek, Chess Correspondent The ninth and last round of Jensen O. Ray Looks 36: Fayard . Susan the Charlton Jubilee Inter
Received O. Care Rams ded 1: For the Charles of the Charles

national chess tournament in London started at midday yesterday, an hour earlier than Richardson, Q P Dutch defence: Will in play are Conquest-Richardson, Q P Dutch defence: Wickay-Douven, Q P King's lead was held by two British Indian defence; Bradbury-Sheinternational masters, Mark lia Jackson, Q P Nimzoindian defence; Teresa Needham-70 Registrated Hungarian grandmaster, J McSheehy-Mile Tagnon, Sici-14 Portscrupt. Hungarian grandmaster, J McSheehy-M Flesch, and the Frenchman. E lian defence.

69 Builden West 70 Rugby & Keedle 71 Norfolk Northe

a prospective parliamentary where candidate because his wife is a "The

The Lloyds Bank Jersey

certain to share first place and of the rest only Richardson can it was therefore fitting that the with those two, but his position is so inferior that he is unlikely to do so.

Pessuas in round 9. Place it, per certain to share first place and of the rest only Richardson can it was therefore fitting that the way stands to my discredit. I had his resignation accepted by the local party on Thursday.

Mr. Hugh Simmonds, who asked the next election as a Conservative candidate."

Mr. Hugh Simmonds, who asked the next election as a Conservative candidate."

Mr. Simmonds, who asked the control of the safe Tory seat of South-West Cambridgeshire and recently qualified for the international master title. He international master title. He control of the control of the constituency associations have still to pick a candidate, another junior player, Daniel Legal of the control of the contro

Maj 1314 4505 5541 5566 5541 1.355 5566 5541 1.355 5566 5541 1.469 5,731 0,572 2,357 5,505 6,970 7,7,047 7,7,047 6,532 4,7,257 6,532 4,7,257 6,739 6,73

"The reaction I have had

member of the League Against from people in the party tion was blocked a week ago Cruel Sports said last night that generally is that they regard this after his wife's opposition to

Gang hiding on train ransacks mailbags By Stewart Tendler Crime Reporter

Sixty bags of first-class and registered mail worth thousands vesterday by a gang who hid on an overnight mail train between

London and Manchester.

The robbers are thought to have jumped from the train as it approached Crewe and may have escaped in a waiting car. The Post Office said the full loss would not be known for

some time, but police believed the gang fled prematurely, taking very little.
British Transport Police and Post Office investigators immediately began an inquiry into how the gang slipped past the train's security guard.

The robbery took place on the nightly service to Manches ter which left Euston at ter which left Euston at it 1.20pm on Thursday. When the train pulled in at its first stop at Crewe at 1.30am. Post Office staff who opened one of three mail carriages found that sacks had been opened.

The robbers had removed

bars on a window and climbed into the locked carriage. They had left behind five nylon rucksacks stuffed with mail. A police dog brought in to search the area round Crewe station picked up a trial which led to the station's car park but then petered out.

There were several hundred mail bags in the carriage. British Rail said the train was loaded in an area not accessible to the public and loading of mail was Court may decide Roach inquest venue always monitored by Post Office staff, who sealed the салтіаде.

The train had a dozen carriages stripped out to carry mail bags, newspapers and British Rail's parcel service. It Mr Roach, aged 21, died is considering legal action to Tuesday to approve legal action from shotgun wounds in the force the inquest into the death aimed at having the inquest entrance to Stoke Newington had come from a Willesden depot, where it was kept

between journeys.

The Post Office said there strations in connexion with his was no evidence that the bags contained anything of excep-tional value. The maximum compensation for items in the registered mail is £1,750. The coroner has rejected a request to move the inquest from the court, which can seat

does not do so, the council says Pancras Coroner's Court is too that its legal and general aroused much public interest. Vulnerability of the marginals

YOUR GOVERNMENT NEEDS

The shape of the Commons to come

As the life of the present sporting chance of winning first results on election night arliament appears to ebb, becomes keener, and detailed and forecasting the national Parliament appears to ebb, politicians and students of politics are trying to familiarize themselves with the shape of the next House of Commons the winnability of the new seats while trying also to guess its has been done by a few

political colour. Learning the names of the analysts from Independent new constituencies where the Television News and the BBC. next election will be lost and The broadcasters in particular frey Drain, who retires in ing Mr Drain's deputy at the TUC's six representatives on gbaurgh, Elmet and Ynys Mon calculate which political party

The Greater London Council

in St Pancras Coroner's Court.

coroner, Dr Douglas Chambers,

asking him to move the inquest, due to open on Monday. If he

of Colin Roach to be held in moved. Hackney Town Hall rather than The

knowledge of each seat's charac-

committee will be asked on

The GLC has taken counsel's

opinion to the effect that it has

inquest, and argues that St

The council has written to the the power under the London death. or oner, Dr Douglas Chambers, government Act to provide sking him to move the inquest, proper accommodation for the

won - names such as Lan- have worked for months to

outcome as soon as they can.

police station in January, and

there have been five demon-

With only 59 seats wholly unchanged, in the new House of 650 members, the broadcasters would not have been able to use academics and also by a team of the familiar language of gains and losses as the results come

They have met the difficulty by allocating the new seats to the parties which they calculate beginning of last year.

Others on the short list were Opment Council. He has been opment Council. He has been some. For would be parliamentary candidates, as the safer of the would have won each of the would have won them in 1979 new seats, and by what margin, and so creating a simulated tary candidates, as the safer of the 1979 general election had

1.250 22 1.1586 1.1576 1.1586

and so create more vacancies.

Mr Simmonds, whose selec-

from candidates but from party organizers keen to check their Own estimates of where the fight will be fiercest.

The fruits of the ITN/BBC working party's labours will appear in The ITN/BBC Guide to the New Parliamentary Constituencies, to be published on May 12 by Parliamentary Research Services, 18 Lincoln Green, Chichester, West Sussex

Here for a start, published for the first time, is their list of marginals; the 278 seats, in on the new they will report the notional order of vulnerability, which gains and losses. would change hands on a swing. ains and losses. would change hands on a swing.
They have had many inquirone way or another, of up to 10

Maj Maj % 4.643 9.2 3,882

Rejected candidate seeks new

The Conservative dropped as chances of being chosen else- retirement at the last minute, getting a seat in the future as result of what has happened". He would not comment on whether he had been invited to Cruel Sports said last night that generally is that they regard this he still hoped to contest the as a unique situation that in no next election.

Way stands to my discredit. I had his resignation accepted by encies. put his name forward for

Science report

Ice throws light on the Earth's structure

By the Staff of Nature The remarkable notion that the steady drift of the North Pole towards eastern Canada is a consequence of the melting of glacial ice within the past 190,000 years has been put forward by W R Peltier and Patrick Wu, two

of Toronto. Its curiosity value apart, the proposal, if accepted, could throw important light on the structure of the Earth as a whole and, in particular, on the thickness of the crustal rocks lying beneath the

scientists from the University

The steady drift of the position of the North Pole amounts to about 5in a year in the general direction of the Bay into the Arctic Ocean. The motion is so slow that it can be distinguished from the much more prominent oscilmuch more prominent oscillation of the apparent pole's position called the Chandler Wobble only in records covering several decades. Peltier and Wu have used data compiled by the International Latitude Service coincides to 1990.

going back to 1900.

Implicit in all such discussions is the assumption that the geographical position of the North Pole is the point at which the exis of the Earth's rotation intersects the surface, so that movement of the North Pole towards Hudson's Bay will be mirrored by movement of the South Pole towards mid-Pacific longitudes.

Ice ages enter the argumen because the accumulation of ice in a substantial icecap. entailing as it must the transfer of oceanic water to land-based ice, must alter the rotational characteristics of the Earth. Although the Antarctic and Greenland icecaps are now the largest, neither is as large as the great North American icecap at the peak of the last glaciation, called the Laurentide.

If the Earth were a rigid body, such an eccentric mass would merely have caused a more pronounced wobble in its rotation. Because, however, the more or less rigid skin (floating on a more malleable but still viscous interior) can change position with respect to the axis of rotation, it is natural that the position of the North Pole should have moved away during the accumulation of the Laurentide icecap, and that it should now be moving

/ "

But how fast? Peltier and Wu are probably on safe ground when they say that past glaciations have shifted Earth's skin with respect to the underlying much more fluid matter, the Earth's

floor is extruded.

Their more difficult prob-lem is that of calculating the thickness of the Earth's skin, represented principally by the parts of the crust, from the measured speed of the move-ment of the poles.

Their conclusion that the average thickness of the outer, relatively rigid, skin is greater than 250km will not readily win the hearts and minds of geophysicists, most of whom adhere to the view that the ocean floor is about 6km thick and that the less dense material of which continents are made is rarely more than 40km thick. The snag is that a less thick outer skin implies a less rapid movement of the North

Pole than has been observed. Even so, the research now carried out is an important demonstration that a con-nexion can be established between the observed features of the Earth's rotation and its internal structure. Source Geophysical Research Letters March (vol 10, p 181), 1983. © Nature-Times News Service, 1983.

Kidnap girl freed after £10,000 is paid

A businessman's daughter who was kidnapped in the Irish Republic was released un-harmed yesterday after her father paid a £10,000 ransom. Police were hunting the two armed kidnappers who wore paramilitary-style clothes and balaciava helmets.

The incident began when the two men called at the home in Shankill, Dublin, of Mr Peter Sims, a steel firm executive, late on Thursday night.
They held the family captive

at gunpoint overnight before taking his daughter, Karen, aged 23, from he house and ordering her father to obtain the ransom for payment at a nominated spot. The gunmen ordered Mr Sims not to contact police until



The Ministry of Defence is facing a possible damages action by a Serviceman's widow who claims her husband died of radiation exposure while serving on Christmas Island, in the Indian Ocean, at the time of the British atom bomb tests in the

The widow, now aged 63, of Wellington, Shropshire, has been given legal aid for the first Stages of her case in the High Court. Her husband, aged 60, who was in the RAF, died of lung cancer in 1974.

she has instructed solicitors to take action against the ministry, seeking damages for herself under the Fatal Accidents Acts and on behalf of her husband's arists under the Law husband's estate under the Law Reform (Miscellaneous Pro-

GLC Tories are cleared

Conservative members of the Greater London Council who have been the subject of police inquiries into the conduct of Strongbridge Housing Association and planning applications have been completely cleared of criminal offences.

The police report has been backed by the Hillingdon District auditor, who says that little, if any, of the arrears on a Hillingdon Council loan to the association, will be irrecoverable. A separate investigation by Mr Dennis Hamson, a former deputy local government ombudsman, found no evidence of GLC members being unduly involved in consideration of planning applications or failing to follow council officers' advice.

Guard remanded on raid charge

A Security Express guard was remanded in custody until next Tuesday by Old Street magistrates, in London, yesterday, accused of trying to rob his employers of more than £2m.

attempted robbery of exempt from the search pro-£2,241,965 from the firm's visions confidential personal offices in Christopher Street, records held by the medical and Islington, in March and with other caring professions and armed robbery of £133,238 their voluntary counterparts. from a Security Express truck in Mr Patrick Mayhew, Minister Tottenham High Road last of State at the Home Office. November.

New shadow spokesman

Mr Denzil Davies, Labour MP for Llanelli, was appointed shadow Secretary of State for Wales yesterday. He succeeds the late Mr Alec Jones and transfers from the number two position in the Opposition defence and disarmament team. Mr Jones, who was MP for Rhondda, died last month.

Minister of State at the Treasury in the former Labour government.

Bristol charges

charged in Bristol Magistrates' circuit judge for the production Court yesterday with the att- of the evidence and the holder empted murder of a detective of the information may chalconstable and of with another lenge the application. person robbing Lloyds Bank, Bristol, of £35,108 on April 6. He was remanded in custody until next Friday. Another man to disclosure of journalists' has also been charged with robbing the bank.

and integrity of government sorely missed in most of Britain's former

It was a great pity that Sir Richard Attenborough's much praised film gave a misleading impression of the quality of the

Many victims of crime will lose right to compensation

scheme because of changes in its

£250 to £400 from March 1. lost as a result of the offence. "We are extremely concerned", Professor Dominik Lasok, QC, of the Faculty of Law, Exeter high crime areas often have University, says in the working difficulty in obtaining and underestimating the value of their "pain and suffering".

day to the annual conference of the association at Keele Univerinsurance schemes. Alternative-sity, Staffordshire, says that ly, local authorities, housing compensation orders are still associations and other landlords

victims are not aware of the voluntary basis. Premiums possibility of compensation could be collected regularly with from either the board or the the rent or the rates.

About half the victims of courts and therefore do not violent crimes will be excluded expect it. The working party from the Government's crimi-wants more information about nal injuries compensation compensation to be provided.

The report also finds that operation, according to a considerable hardship is caused working party of the National by the delay in obtaining final Association of Victims Support awards. It adds that immediate aid should be available when The reason is the raising of needed for the payment of the lower limit for claims from expenses incurred and wages Some members of the work-

ing party found that people in party's report. In addition, paying for suitable household many eligible applicants may be insurance. "As a general prinmany eligible applicants may be insurance. "As a general prin-deterred from applying by ciple, we believe that compensation should be available to all victims who have suffered The report, presented vester- losses as a result of crime." One option would be state

made by courts only in a small could be encouraged to arrange proportion of relevant cases.

Research suggests that most available to their tenants on a

to obtain evidence held non-

between confidential and non-

confidential material; in the

case of journalists, most material is held on a non-confi-

under the Bill to take it.

range of medical institutions,

Association and the various

International to the Samaritans

Legal objections were voiced

(the Press Association reports).

by the Law society and pro-fessional objections to the

search and seizure plans came

from the Consultative Com-

mittee of Accountancy Bodies.

Religious bodies opposed to the proposals included the Church-

es' Main Committee and the

Board of the Division of

Ministries in the Methodist

Church. The list was disclosed

by Mr Mayhew in a Commons

negotiations.

Mr Clinton Davis, an Opposition spokesman on foreign and Commonwealth affairs, (Hackney, Central, Lab) said the present formess Falkland policy was hopelessly inadequate and was being exposed daily as such. Britain should be looking for alternatives and the possibility of a United Nations trusteship must be considered.

The Government should do

The Government should do nothing to endanger the fledgling democracy in Spain and must avoid provocative actions which could

play some part in undermining it. It was not essential to send HMS invincible to Gibraltar. It was

bound to be seen by Spain as deeply offensive. It was not sensible to say

that under no circumstances would sovreignty of Gibraltar be yeilded. Sending Invincible was somewhat

Mr Cranley Onsley, Minister

State. Foreign and Commonwealth Office, said the people of Gibraltar clearly wished to retain their links with Britain. It was quite normal for

He was surprised by Mr Dalyeil's

allegations against the Gurkhas. If he was really concerned about these

matters his concern should not be to get them smeared across the public

prints but to bring out the truth. He

was in grave danger of becoming a sort of political Aerosol only interested in suraying gibberish across the pages of *Hansard*.

The Brigade of Gurkhas was a fully intergrated part of the British Armed Forces. As such it had always met the highest standams of disciplina and had

ne and behaviour.

ships taking part in an exert

islanders wanted it.

We make no distinction

confidentially.

Press seeks protection for unpublished material

By Frances Gibb, Legal Affairs Correspondent

Mr Kenneth Morgan, directhat reporters' general notes, tor of the Press Council, unprinted copy, unpublished yesterday welcomed the pictures, unshown film and yesterday welcomed the Government's climbdown over proposed search powers in the Police and Criminal Evidence If Mr Mayhew did not offer

But he said there was still concern in the media over the possible seizure of journalists' unpublished notes, pictures and perform their jobs, he said. film.
Mr William Whitelaw, the

Home Secretary, announced on Alan Roostan, aged 29, of Ashmore Grove, Welling, London, was charged with the London was charged wit of exempt from the search pro-

disclosed yesterday that there had been 598 representations on the Bill from organizations and individuals.

He is to meet representatives of newspaper proprietors, journalists and the Press Council on Monday to discuss changes the Home Secretary plans in order to allay the

Under the bill a magistrate made representations to the may issue a warrant authorizing police to enter and search for evidence where satisfied that from the General Medical there is reasonable ground for Council to the British Medical believing a serious arrestable offence has been committed; royal colleges, media unions, that there is evidence on the local authorities and voluntary premises that might be pro- organizations from Amnesty duced in a trial for that offence; and when it is not practicable to communicate with the owner.

With evidence held on a Derek Anthony Rossi, aged confidential basis, the police 27, of no fixed address, was must seek an order from a

Mr Morgan said at Sutton, Surrey, yesterday that press was not limited COncern confidential sources. "We are concerned, too, at the danger written reply yesterday.

PARLIAMENT April 15 1983

Tory seeks aid for dependencies

eyes of the world.

Mr Tam Dalyell (West Lothian,
Lab) said units associated with the
Falklands task force were not
welcome in the Hispanic world. The
Spanish Government had expressed
profound displeasure and concern
over what they called the inopportune visit to Gibraltar. Pre-Falklands they did not sweak like that

lands they did not speak like that.
It would be unwise for the Hou

and country to imagine that all this was Spanish bravado. What pre-cisely did Britain do if Spain applied

Sir Richard Attenborough's oscar-winning film Gandhi gave a misleading impression of the quality of the Indian service during the period of British rule in India and it was very sad that a British director should have given such a false and discreditable picture of his fellow countrynen, Mr Ivor Stanbrook (Bromley, Orpington, C) said when opening a debate in the Commons on dependencies of the United Kingdom.

The colonial service, he said, had never been given the credit it was due, in making a peaceful transition from Empire to self-governing Commonwealth and in providing millions of people in overseas territories with standards of skill and integrity of government sorely missed in most of British.

praised film gave a was Spanish bravado. What preimpression of the quality of the
Indian service.

Members of the Indian civil
service were of great intelligence,
sound judgment, and were devoted
to India. They left India with a
legacy of impartial government of
which they could be proud.

Britain should seek to remove the
stigms of colonialism from those
who sought a permanent place
within the sovereignty of the United
Kingdom. For some small islands
Kingdom. For some small islands
Kingdom. For some small islands
were not in British interests not in

within the sovereignty of the United relations with the first democratic government in Spain since Franco kingdom. For some small islands government in Spain since Franco and dependencies, the question of the interests of the people of independence was out of the interests of the people of question. Some other way of Gibraltar.

The mublished discovering democracy and assertive

question. Some other way of current of the published diary of an securing democracy and security had to be found for those who had no chance of surviving on their on the chance of surviving on their of the current of

There was no case for direct soldiers were British mercenaries representation of British citizens the Government should respond to resident outside the United King-

dom in the Commons, but in any Sir Bernard Braine (South-East

dom in the Control of Lords provision and the control of Lords provision and the Lords provision and the Lords of Lords provision and the Lords and

resident outside the United Kingdom for all such

Sir Richard Attenborough's os- territories which did not desire or

Fears for public footpaths

By Hugh Clayton

Miles of public footpaths will be closed unlesss the Government makes the Forestry Commission change its policy unbroadcast tape may be seized of "privatizing" nationalized woodlands. Local protests about the sale of more than 1,800 acres of woodland near much stronger safeguards than now in the Bill, reporters and cameramen would be gravely restricted in their freedom to Salisbury to a private buyer have led Mr Neil MacFarlane, Under-Secretary of State at the Department of the Environment, Mrs Margaret Mair, head of to ask the commission for the parliamentary and legal department of the Newspaper details of the proposed deal.

The national council of the Ramblers' Association will today debate plans to keep paths open when woods are sold. The commission is trying to raise £40m by selling parts of its vast estate of state-owned land, worth more than £300m.

The Government regards the scheme as a way of unlocking public funds held in the form of land and timber. The Oppodential basis."
She said the society wanted the same safeguards for non-confidential evidence as now sition sees it as a means of selling desirable assets to private buyers who qualify for valuable tax conces

applied to searches for con-fidential material. A police officer searching for the one was Most of the land sold last year consisted of dense conifer just as likely to come across the plantations with little importother and would be entitled ance for wildlife and recreation. This year the commission has begun to sell mixed woodlands which receive many visitors. Opponents of the Bill who The commission's policy is to Home Office included the full allow public access to its woods but never to require private buyers to continue to keep the paths open.

> mission's headquarters in Edinburgh said yesterday that it did not disclose prices and buyers of its woodlands. But it was about to offer for sale three sections of Bentley Wood, to the east of Salisbury, with an area of more than 1,800 acres.

> The commission has sold to private buyers more than 150 acres of woodland at Brooke, near Norwich, and almost 120 acres at Walton Wood, near Chesterfield. Derbyshire. More than 300 acres at Stapleford Wood, near Newark, Nottinghamshire, is about to be put on the market.
> Forest of figures, page 6

Boxed wine still largely 'foul' Which? says

Most boxed wine is still "unspeakably foul", according aged Argentina to believe there to the Consumers' Association's would ever be any transfer of panel of wine experts, although sovereignty unless the Falkland two new arrivals have met with two new arrivals have met with Until there was a purge in Argentina and genuine democracy, and respect for basic human rights restored, there should be no question of resuming bilateral

their approval. Miss Jane MacQuitty, the editor of Which? Wine Monthly, who last year described almost all wine boxes as "mostly undrinkable", caused a great deal of controversy at the time.

She said yesterday: "We said then that there really seems no point in packing the cheapest, dullest wines into these boxes simply to appear competitive. The situation does not seem to have changed much since then. We recently tasted at least 30 bag-in-the-box wines and most were unspeakably foul".

But the panel has welcomed two new boxes which contain premium wines. They cost about £10 each and are offered by the Wine Society. Both the red and white are Bo Appellation Contrôlée wines and will probably stand the test of time", according to Miss Mac-Quitty. She added that claims of a four-month shelf life made for many of the other boxes were 'far fetched, to say the least".

Wine boxes are still the fastest growing sector of the UK wine market and account for almost 15 per cent of light wine sold. The trade expects that figure to reach 20 per cent by the end of the year.

Fireworks toll

People requiring hospital treatment for firework injuries last year totalled 626, the second lowest figure recorded and 55 fewer than in 1981, Dr Gerard Vanghan, the Minister for Consumer Affairs, stated in Commons written reply

Bishops back right of asylum

Mr Arthur Forder, the mayor of Devizes, Wiltshire, inspecting a farewell guard of honour yesterday with Major-

General N. H. Speller (behind the mayor) by 125 men of 9 Ordnance Battalion. The battalion, which has been garrisoned for more than a century in the town, transfers to Corsham, Wiltshire, in June. (Photograph: Peter Trievnor).

The Roman Catholic bishops British Council of Churches, of England and Wales urged the and how they may be over-British Government yesterday come. to continue to grant political asylum to conscientious objec-tors from South Africa. At their Low Week meeting at Wes-tminster the bishops gave support to their South African colleagues' plea for the right of conscientious objection to military service.

Their appeal to the British Government reflected the fear that under proposed legislation many South Africans may seek asylum in Britain as an alternative to heavy jail sentences or long periods of monmilitary service for refusing military service on conscientious grounds. The English and Welsh bishops promised their pastoral support to any young South African seeking asylum for those reasons.

A joint statement on the bishops' proposed conference of church leaders is expected early in May. This will discuss the next step forward on the ecumenical front as well as Roman Catholic reservations about membership of the each presided over by a bishop

Archbishop of Westminster, and the Archbishop of Liverpool, president and the Most Rev Derek Worlock, president and vice-president of the Roman Catholic Bishops' Conference, explained yesterday that most of the four-day

meeting had been taken up with

considering new proposals for

Cardinal Basil Hume the

ence and its commission. A special one-day meeting of the conference on July 7 will consider the agenda of the Synod of Bishops to be held in Rome this autumn, which will discuss reconciliation and penance, including the controversial issue of general absolution without prior individual

The new reorganization pro-posals, which were accepted nem con, no longer call for the old structure of commissions to be completely swept away. Instead they will be slimmed down to committees of experts,

confession.

but with an otherwise non-episcopal membership. Several new committees will

be added to cover such fields as

family life, relations with non-Christian religions, home mission, public lift, and the world of work. grouped into six departments, some closely mirroring their counterparts in other churches. There will therefore be a

the reorganization of the conferthe same name. international justice and peace. However, their membership

will no longer be swollen, as with the old commissions, by the need to provide for a representative element. The bishops also "positively endorse" the idea of occasional consultations of the whole body

of English and Welsh Roman

Reminders of darker days come to light

By Christopher Warman Arts Correspondent

The chilling fear of a Geman invasion of Britain in 1940 comes to life with a list of instructions to the people from the Ministry of Information (Christopher Warman, Art: Correspondent, writes).

First, "Stay put", because you will be in greater danger if you try to move away from your home, and second, "Do no: believe rumours", one of the main tactics of the Germans to demoralize the population o the countries they occupied.

This leaflet, on show in ar exhibition which opens or Tuesday, is complemented by one prepared by the German invasion force, ready to be signed by the German Com-mander-in-Chief of the Army. It states: "Provided that the

population behaves in an orderly manner, the armed forces will respect person and property. Any ill considered act any form of sabotage, any resistance, active or passive, aganist the German Armec. Forces will be remorselessly punished by sentence of death. Both are reminders of the Second World War and the exhibition in which they appear marks the fiftieh anniversary of the Wiener Library in London Europe's main collection of material on fascism, Nazism and totalitarianism, and on racism and antisemitism.

The library now in Devonshire Street, Westminster, was started by Dr Alfred Wiener, when he left Germany in 1933. the year of Hitler's rise to The committees will be power, at first in Amsterdam ouped into six departments, and finally in London on me closely mirroring their September 1, 1939, the day that Hitler invaded Poland.

Last year a £1m appeal was department for mission and launched, with Mr James unity and one for social Callaghan, the former Prime Minister, as president, and responsibility, with areas of concern roughly similar to the Church of England's boards of the fund has reached half way. Included in the exhibition.

In that way the Roman On the Track of Tyranny', are Catholic church will still have many items never shown expert committees covering before, such as propaganda such fields as ecumenism or leaflets dropped by the belligerents behind enemy lines, black propaganda' material smuggled: into Europe, and other rare documents and photographs.

There is a list prepared by Gestapo leaders ready for the invasion, with 2,300 names on it, including that of Winston Churchill, Chartwell Manor, Westerham, Kent, for immedi-

Drugs 'supergrass' flown to US by RAF

A former millionaire and international drug smuggler was flown out of Britain secretly yesterday on an RAF jet normally reserved for important military officers.

one of the ringleaders of a cocaine smuggling syndicate, was taken under guard to Brize Norton air base, in Oxford-shire, and boarded a VC 10 for Washington with a military

unprecedented step of asking for a military flight because of fears that Mitchell was to be the target of killers. Mitchell, from Illinois, had

pleaded guilty at the Central Criminal Court recently to plotting to smuggle cocaine from South America and bringing in a suitcase containing £2m of the drug; he was jailed for 30 mouths. He had however been in detention since being arrested by customs investigators in January, 1981, and was spent in detention helping customs men was set off

against the prison sentence.

He gave evidence as a crown witness at the Central Criminal Court, where he said that three attempts had been made on his life to stop him talking. Mitchell told the judge who sentenced him: "I am totally and completely repentant. Over the past two years I have

walked every street in hell." Mr Ian Mayes, defending Mitchell said he would remain "at considerable personal risk" because of the "massive help" he had given about drug

Penlee rescue attempt 'was not wrong' From Our Correspondent, Penzance A suggestion that the final lifeboat and that the final blow

wrong, drew a swift response yesterday from Mr Geoffrey Brice, QC, for the Royal Maritime Lifeboat Institution.

Mr Brice, speaking on the twenty-first day of the Penlee inquiry at Penzance, asked Captain James De Coverly, a senior nautical surveyor with the Department of Trade, who made the remark the previous day, if he knew a single person who considered that Coxwain Richards might have been WIODS.

Captain De Coverly said that the possibilty that the coxswain had been wrong had been discussed in the Marine Survey Service. But he agreed that as a seaman he would not dream of making such a suggestion. In taking four people off the 1,400ton coaster, the coxswain had and explain the sighting of performed an outstanding feat lights.

Mr Brice said that Captain De Coverly's evidence had been widely reported, and had caused intense anguish and hurt.

Mr Brice timned to Captain replied.

De Coverly's theory that the coaster had capsized on the Monday.

attempt by Trevelyan Richards, to the Solomon Browne had the coxswain of the Penlee been struck by one of the ship's lifeboat, to rescue people from heavy hatch covers. Counsel's

the Union Star may be said, pointed out that witnesses had: , to have been reported that the lifeboat might have got away from the coaster. Captain De Coverly said he had heard that, but it was not conclusive

Mr Brice suggested that after making her final rescue run the lifeboat had got away from the coaster, only to be dashed against the rocks. Captain De Coverly said that was a possibility. But it had occurred to him that the Union Star? might have capsized on the Solomon Browne, with a hatch cover striking the lifeboats.

Captain De Coverley sug-gested that some part of the boat, without life on board, might have drifted away with the engine still turning and the lights still showing. That would explain why the wreckage of the lifeboat was so widely scattered.

Mr George Beattie for the Coastguard, said that some harsh things had been said about the coastguards during "I am extremely sorry if De Coverly: "In your con-anything I have said has caused sidered opinion, as a master anything i nave sam has exused sheeter opinion, as a magnish to anybody", Captain mariner, do you think these are justified?" "No", the captain

The inquiry continues on

Bogus Sloane Ranger lived like a lord on Barclaycard

He convinced titled young who runs the Yves St Laurent Englishmen that he was a shops in London. She dismissed member of the aristocracy and played his role so well that the society magazine, Harper's and Queen, used a picture of his twenty-first birthday party.

But yesterday Duranty.

But yesterday Duranty.

But yesterday Duncan Roy, a Londoner, aged 22; was jailed for 15 months for obtaining "Roy mir property and services by deception. Judge Babington told him at Knightsbridge Crown Court, London: "you have lived a Walter Mitty existence for a few lord, mostly at other people's **EXTENSE**

Mr Dermot Wright, for the friends and when he was arrested owed Barclaycard

nearly £10,000. Mr Edward Lewis, for the defence, said: "He resorted to living like a lord but he closed his eyes and shot his mind to and Queen, said after the case: the horror of having to pay for "He said he was the bastard son a somebody, especially a member of the aristocracy.

A penntless man posed as a peer and bought his way into high society with his Barclay-card, a court was told yesterday.

He said Roy called himself Lord Anthony Rendlesham after working as a general assistant to Lady Rendlesham. him after three months. "From that moment he was

> Rendlesham's son and soon even believed it himself', Mr "Roy mixed with those in

high society and befriended many young titled Englishmen. It could be said he was scrounging off them. He even emulated the voice of those years. You have lived like a known as Sloane Rangers and men about town."

Roy, aged 22, of Westbourne Park Road, Padington, west prosecution, said Roy ran up London, admitted eight charges huge bills entertaining his rich of obtaining property and services by deception between May and October last year and asked for 211 other offences to be considered.

pictured with Roy in Harper's it. He desperately wanted to be of Lady Rendlesham. He was very persuasive, a real charmer and totally believable.

Mr Scott Crolla, who was



Clark Hanford, a sculp-tor, with models of Marion each base. lvn Monroe and Fred Astaire which he makes for sale. The model most in demand is of Miss Monroe in the scene from Some Like It Hot, where she stands over a hot air grill, in a flimsy white dress. He makes limited

editions of the 33 in

sculpture with a number

Mr Clark, aged 27, of Kensington Park Road, North Kensington, London, also makes models of Marlene Dietrich, "There is something about her that is timeless, he says. (Photograph: Michael Alsford).

N

Fate of Galtieri hangs in balance

The fate of General Galtieri, he attacked General Mario his favour. The honour tri- unionists and officials of her munion. He will arrive in outh Atlantic conflict last year.

General Galtieri is fulfulling period of disciplinary arrest, iposed by General Cristino to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri balling for the former presided by the position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling to order trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling trial by "honour position before General Galtieri is fulfulling trial by "honour position before G lities for errors during the generals. the Buenos Aires area. sanctions.

ayo, the main army garrison tribunal could order additional

Sources close to the general ation has been released, army have said that if the trial goes Britain urces say he has been put in a ahead, his defence will be taken
Ban lifted: Argentina has mmander of a company of Like General Galtieri, General The sources said that the a law graduate and was General nez Dé Perón, Reuter reports. ntence imposed was 45 days' Galtieri's Interior Minister.

e former President of Argenti- Menendez, the man he ap- bunal, under the terms of the L and an internal trial in the pointed Governor of the Malvi- military code, must be presided avy, continue to dominate the nas (Falkland Islands) last year, over by an officer of the same Peronist party first vice-presiilliary debate on responsi- and three senior active service rank as himself (lieutenantdent, said she might now play general) and of greater seniority. an active role in the party's

icolaides, the Army Com- dent, a move requested by the did. One of them is General holding public office because ander. He is at Campo de criticized officers. Such a Benjamin Rattenbach, aged 85 she was convicted after her Benjamin Rattenbach, aged 85 she was convicted after her year ago but was postponed who presides over the inter- overthrow of Embezzling state because of the Falklands forces commission investigating funds.

As he left he admitted that forces commission investigating funds. the conduct of the conflict with

susc normally used by the up by General Alfredo St Jean. lifted the political ban imposed Like General Galtieri, General seven years ago on former St Jean is a retired officer. He is President Maria Estela Marti-It said after an eight-hour

reprisonment, not 60 as was

Various members of General meeting that it was restoring the Heleft Heathrow to represent of churches, had bee riginally reported. The sence was imposed as a result of a number of other retired who was ousted in a coup in at the inauguration of a new said he did not expendished interview in which officers were ready to testify in March, 1976, and of 18 trade province of the anglican come fate to befall his visit

Argentina next Thursday. Señor Deolindo Bittel, the The new province of the diocese of Agentina, Chile, Peru, Bolivia and Paraguay and Dr Sheppar said it was traditional for the archbishop or his representative to attend the

Spain, was still barred from holding public office because inauguration of a new province. The visit was due to take place a LONDON: The Bishop of Argentina so soon after the Liverpool, Right Rev David Sheppard, left London on his way to Buenos Aires the Section of hostilities, but said the did not expect trouble.

way to Buenos Aires, the first British church leader to visit Dr Sheppard flew out at the same time that it was reported that Dr Phillip Morgan, general secretary of the British Council Argentina since the Falklands He left Heathrow to represent of churches, had been refused a the Archbishop of Canterbury visa to visit Argentina; but he said he did not expect the same



Mission of peace: Dr David Sheppard and his wife, Grace, leaving London yesterday for New York, where

she is to stay. Oil slick meeting

abandoned

zone, delegates said.

Mr Abdul-Jabbar Oman

Kuwait, said: "Consultations

have reached a dead end

because of Iranian stubborn-

but they (the Iranians) have not

the debacle.

Kuwait (Reuter) - Eight Gulf

From Diana Geddes

countries yesterday abandoned crisis talks on the giant oil slick threatening their shores as Iraq and Iran blamed each other for Retail prices in France rose last month by 0.9 per cent, bringing the total increase for the first three months of this year to 2.5. Ministers from the eight per cent. That compares with an increase in West Germany, France's main trading partner, of only 0.4 per cent over the states gave up after three days of trying to persuade Baghdad and Tehran to let workers cap wells in an Iranian field in a Gulf war

The Government is aiming to bring inflation down to 8 per cent by the end of this year, but economic observers now believe that it will be nearer 9 or

9.5 per cent. There was better news for the Government on the unemploy-ment front where last month's seasonally adjusted figures showed a slight fall for the fifth

of the workforce. It is the firt time since 1974 that there has been a fall in unemployed (seasonally

counteract that increase.

The trade figures for March re not vet out but the Government is worried by the sharp rise in the value of the

dollars.
The latest figures for industrial investment are not encouraging either. They show that investment in France fell by 5 per cent in real terms last year and is expected to fall by further 3 per cent this year.

A majority of French people have little or no confidence in the Government's new austerity measures to pull the country out of its present crisis, according to the latest opinion polls. On the other hand, they do not believe that a right-wing Government would be able to do much

better. A Louis Harris poll, pub-lished in the left-wing daily *Le Matin*, indicated that 38 per cent would have more confidence in the ability of the present Opposition to tackle the country's economic problems, while 30 per cent expressed more condidence in the present Government, and 14 per cent said it would make no difference who was in power.

Interestingly, 60 per cent said

19% inflation expected in France

same three-month period.

Ghani, the Iraqi Ambassador to ness. Iraq has made concessions

month running bringing the total number of unemployed to 2,014,000, just under 9 per cent

March of the number of

The reduction in unemployment is not due to the success of the Government's economic policies, however, but rather to the costly social measures it has

introduces for the young.

M Jacques Delors, the
Finance Minister, caused consternation last week when he told MPs that he expected the Government's new austerity package would add 100,000 to the unemployment registers. He later hastened to explain that the Government planned to take additional measures to

per cent of France's imports have to be paid in

Rival still a challenge o Andropov

From Richard Owen

There are signs that Mr constantin Chernenko, who as defeated in the struggle or the party leadership nearly ix months ago, still poses a hallenge to Mr Yuri Androov and wields influence ithin the party structure.

Mr Andropov, who anneouvred swiftly and deftly o suceed Mr Brezhnev as arty leader last November, ppears firmly in control of joviet domestic and foreign olicies. As in previous Soviet uccession crises, on the other and, the new leader has found imself restricted by having to lacate other powerful figures

Mr Andropov has made mly limited personnel changes n party and government so ar, but more are expected at he next Central Committee neeting and at the session of he Supreme Soviet due to take lace in June.

Mr Chernenko, who is 71, vas eclipsed politically after ast November's succession truggle, when he not only lost o Mr Andropov but was ibliged to nominate his rival or the post of party First

Stocky and animated, with a hock of white hair, he once appeared a more confident contender than the lean and iloof Mr Andropov, but had only the personal blessing of als mentor, to match against Vir Andropov's power base in he KGB security police and

On the other hand, Mr the party's General Depart-ment, which gives him control over patronage and party

Party administration is regarded as humdrum, but can be skilfully used to gain a broadened power base. Sources say Mr Chernenko has used it to benefit from the grievances of those party apparatchiks who resent Mr Amdropov's attempts to expel the incompetent and corrupt.

The recently-published memoirs of Brezhnev contain, significantly, extravagant praise for Mr Chernenko. Although published long after Mr Andropov's rise to power, the memoirs describe Mr Chernenko as a leader of great 'talent and experience"

Sources say tension within the leadership continue, how-ever, and that one of the points at issue is the state presidency. Russia has had no head of state since Brezhnev died. Mr Chernenko was reportedly offered the post, but on condition that he relinquished his job as Central Committee secretary, which he declined to do.

Nablus settlement date splits Israel

South Sea cyclone: A village of Tuamotu in French Polynesia after being ravaged early this week. Tahiti and Moorea

were also hit leaving 5,000 islanders homeless. France has sent emergency relief.

of the country's agricultural

A survey conducted by the

national maize producers orga-nization found that the average maize farmer could be in the

red by upo £75,000 and most

had been forced into insol-

Mr J. C. van der Westhuizen,

secretary of the North Cape Agricultural Union, said that

farmers in the area faced losing

livestock that could have been

marketed, and even widespread

argument four months later.

The declaration drew caustic

rain would not help now.

Next Monday's celebrations cancel the ceremony on a The left-wing Peace Now to mark the thirty-fifth anniver-hillside overlooking Nablus, movement has already consary of Israel's independence because settlement in heavily structed a "protest settlement" promises to be some of the most controversial in the country's subject on which "the entire history after a move by the nation is divided".

Structed a "protest settlement" near the site to register internal opposition to the settlement plan. Yesterday it took out a Government to use the occasion to inaugurate a new historical mistake" which ments Jewish settlement near Nablus, would signal the start of Jewish large the most densely populated Arab town in the occupied West Bank on Bank.

Would signal the start of Jewish large counter-demonstration planned in the West Bank on Monday.

Bank. Yesterday, the two leading indication that the right-wing members of the main oppo- Likud Government had any sition Labour Party, Mr Shimon intention of reversing its de-Peres and Mr Yitzhak Rabin, cision to stage a special Peres and Mr Yitzhak Rabin, cision to stage a special ment is trying to create the staged a rare joint press ceremony to mark the move of illusion of national consensus conference to denounce the the first 15 Jewish families into around the construction of this dedication ceremony. The party the new settlement, which is settlement. We must demon-has also called for a special eventually planned to be trans-strate that a large part of the session of the Israeli Parliament formed into the Jewish suburb public does not agree and is to debate the plan to use of Upper Nablus, intended to determined to protest and

present Prime Minister, to and Jews.

He described the move as "an

By last night there was no

series of newspaper advertisements to announce details of a

elected Government.

Under the heading "Peace now before it is too late", the Independence Day the Governcombat this policy

Independance Day for such a house several hundred, combat this policy."

widely-contested move.

Nablus has a Palestinian

Mr Rabin, a former Labour population of about 80,000 and over the Nablus settlement has Prime Minister, appealed to has been the scene of frequent coincided with publication in Mr Menachem Begin, the violent clashes between Arabs the Jerusalem Post of an and laws and opinion poll showing increased

The left-wing Peace Now popularity for Mr Begin and a povement has already con marked tendency for Israelis to become even more hawkish on the issue of compromise over the West Bank land conquered

from the Arabs in 1967. A total of 50.2 per cent of the population is now opposed to any peace agreement with Jordan which would require territorial concessions over the West Bank, compared to 46.6 per cent who opposed such concessions in February, and 4? 4 per cent who took such a stand in a poll in December. VIENNA: Mr Yassir Arafat,

the Palestine Liberation Organization leader, arrived in Sofia vesterday for a working visit at the invitation of Mr Todor Zhivkov, the party leader, the Bulgarian news agency BTA

TUNIS: Palestinian leaders have put off a key meeting on how to restore contacts with Jordan, Reuter reports.

Mr Ali Shams Ardekani, the Iranian Ambassador to Kuwait, told reporters that the talks had foundered because Baghdad had insisted that Iraqis should be included in repair crews sent to Iran's Nowruz field at the head of the Gulf.

Mr Ghani said Mr Sadeq Hamid Alloush, the Iraqi Health Minister, and chief delegate at the talks, was going home.

Iraq offered a limited ceasefire in the slick area but Iran said it wanted explicit safeconduct for repair crews to cap leaking wells in a critical war

Iran has said the wells were hit by Iraqi fire but the Iraqis claim only one Iranian well is leaking and that it was damaged by accident.

Renewed heavy fighting this week between Iran an Iraq had made it virtually hopeless to find a formula to let repair crews begin work. As much as 2,000 barrels of crude oil have

Gulf since early March. Mr Ghani said Saudi Arabia and its Gulf allies had drawn up a plan for an immediate capping of the wells and the creation of a non-combat zone in the slick area under the auspices of an international body. "But Iran rejected these terms. . . and it refused to cease

fire." the ambassador added.

El Greco icon found on Greek island

signature common among ancient Greek artists.

votive silver, as is the custom here, said the icen was probably taken to Syros by survivors of the massacre of the island of Psara in 1824. Two years later, they built the Church of the Assumption in Ermoupolis, where they placed

Mr Mastoropoulos believes that this is one of El Greco's early works, dating probably from 1565 or 1566. The icon is the only one ever

found to bear El Greco's full signature, according to Mr Mastoropoulos. Another icon of St. Luke, the Evangelist, now at the Benaki museum in Athens, is signed "Domeni-kos", but some foreign experts Greek colleagues that the painting is by El Greco. Miss Mercouri said: "I hope that we shall be just as lucky with our other projects and that we shall soon be able

they thought the new measures were too tough, while only 16 per cent thought they were not tough enough.

STRASBOURG: Members of the European Parliament yesterday called for an EEC investigation into the cash restrictions being imposed by the French Socialist Government on French citizens taking holidays abroad, to see if they infringe EEC law, George Clark

Lloyds Bank **Interest Rates**

Pretoria is prepared for

'Gandhi' compromise

Johannesburg (Reuter) - A South Africa's 800,000-strong row over segregated audiences Indiam community has reacted at South African showings of strongly against segregated the award-winning film Gandhi showings of the film about

Government minister's pledge to open charity premieres to all chairman of the Natal Indian

Congress, which Gandhi found-Community Development ed in 1894, said he had sent a Minister Mr Pen Kotze, whose telegram to Mrs Indira Gandhi,

permission is needed for mixed the Indian Prime Minister

cinema attendance, said in a asking her to use her influence

statement he would be prepared to dissuade Sir Richard Atten-to grant permission for racially borough, the film's director

intergrated audiences for char-ity premières of the film. from coming to South Africa for the première.

intensified yesterday despite a Gandhi

Lloyds Bank Plc has reduced its Base Rate from 10.5% to 10% p.a. with effect from Friday, 15th April 1983.

Other rates of interest are reduced as follows: 7-day-notice Deposit Accounts and Savings Bank Accounts - from 7.5% to 6.75% p.a.

The change in Base Rate and Deposit Account interest will also be applied from the same date by the United Kingdom branches of

Lloyds Bank International Limited The National Bank of New Zealand Limited

Drought-hit S Africa to buy fodder From Mario Modiano, Athens

Miss Melina Mercouri, the Greek Minister of Culture. Johannesburg (Reuter) South amounced yesterday the discovery of an unknown-masterpiece by El Greco, in a Africa's maize and stock farmers face a grim winter and financial ruin in the wake of the country's worst drought this century. According to an official church on Syros Island in the

Aegean.
It is an icon of the Assumption of Virgin Mary painted in distemper on canvas on wood, It measures 62.5cm by 52.5cm and bears the signature Dominikos Theotounion, grazing in most areas was insufficient for the coming winter and fodder is to be imported.
"Rain over the past few days has been insufficient to improve the situation" he said, "and koponics followed by the Greek words O Deixas (He even if more falls it will be too who has shown), a form of

> The icon, which was shown to journalists, seems quite well preserved. It is painted in traditional Cretan style. The Virgin lies on a bed, sur-rounded by the Apostles and prelates. Above, Jesus holds an infant symbolizing his mother's soul. Between the two

main figures, angels carry
Mary's face to heaven.
Mr George Mastoropoulos,
a Byzantisologist, who found

to bring back the Parthenon Marbles."

Morals debate shakes Canada An unusual New Year's politically explosive, and the declaration by a group of group which produced it - the Canadian Roman Catholic social affairs commission of the new year, the declaration, entitled Ethical Reflections on bishops, attacking the allegedly Canadian Conference of Cath-

pro-capitalist economic policies olic Bishops – has gained such of the Liberal Government and warning of "moral disorder" in felt compelled recently to society, is still generating disavow any political entangle-"We have no intention of and priorities of society". comments from Mr Pierre officially forming an alliance Trudeau, the Prime Minister, a with any specific political five-member group of prominent Catholic MPs, and large commission said in a statement. The statement went further numbers of the Catholic laity. "As pastors, we have a responsi-One of the country's best-bility to be moral in society and

known prelates, Cardinal not political leaders."
Emmett Carter of Toronto, This did not stop the leader dissociated himself from it. of the New Democrats, Mr Ed dissociated himself from it.

On the other hand, it has been warmly endorsed by leaders of organized labour and the left-wing New Democratic their analysis was right, that Party, which has 32 seats in the their moral prescriptions are House of Commons. It also has right, and the consequence of its share of defenders among lay this will be more NDP supcatholics.

The document has become so Released to coincide with the

the Economic Crisis, repudiated government policies which, it claimed, put the interests of capital before the rights of labour. Current economic realities revealed a "deepening moral disorder in the values

and pronounced judgment on specific points of economic policy, declaring that "unemployment, rather than inflation, should be regarded as the No.1

The Government has for some time placed primary emphasis on battling inflation, while emphasising that solving this problem is essential to beating unemployment. Inflation, though falling, is still at 7.4 per cent, while joblessness remains above 12 per cent.

Mr Trudeau, a Catholic

statement came out that he did not appreciate the bishops' intervention. He called the authors "misinformed" and questioned the calibre of their economics.

The group of five MPs - four them parliamentary of them parliamentary secretaries or former parlia-mentary secretaries to Cabinet ministers - issued their own declaration, rebuking the bishops for compromising their spiritual authority and failing to distinguish between the spiritual and temporal order The declaration can also be seen as a part of increased

activism by the Canadian hierarchy on pressing public issues. For instance, the Con-ference of Catholic Bishops, with the leaders of the principal Protestant denominations, have been increasingly critical of Canadian support for Nato and American defence policies.

Britons die as plane hits mast

Paris - Three Britons were killed and another critically injured when their aircraft crashed in thick fog yesterday near Boulogne (Diana Geddes writes).

The dead were named as David Beamond, aged 40; Susan Beamond, aged 36; and Peter Hanson, aged 46. Amanda Hanson, aged 21, was last night on a life support machine. Their addresses were not known.

A wing apparently hit a television transmitter mast on Mont Lambert (400ft), forcing the aircraft down in a pasture before it crashed into a block-

How satellite was damaged

New York (NYT) - The \$100m (£67m) communications satellite deployed by the space shuttle Challenger appears to have been damaged by the rocket module that boosted it into a higher, abnormal orbit, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration said.

The problem will further delay attempts to correct the satellite's orbit, the agency added. The satellite is now in an elliptical orbit, a result of the rockets shutting down prema-

Italy angry at Sofia jailings

Rome (AP) - Italian officials have condemmed what they called the severity of sentences on two Italians convicted by

Bulgaria of spying.
Officials of the Foreign
Ministry denied that any Italian Covernment agencies were involved with Paolo Farsetti, aged 34, and Gabriella Trevisin, aged 26, both jailed in Sofia. Farsetti was given 10½, years and his companion three years.

All smiles – by police request

Hongkong - Broadly-smiling portraitsmay be compulsory on the new issue of identity cards for Hongkong residents, Richard Hughes writes.

recommendation by dental experts that portraits should bear smiles wide enough to show all the front teeth, especially the six upper ones. Victims of a murderer recently convicted were identified be-cause of family photographs which showed them smiling

Journalist's wife in court

Johannesburg - Mrs Sue Sparks, wife of Mr Allister Sparks, the former editor of the Rand Daily Mail and a South African journalist, Mr Bernard Simon, appeared briefly before a regional magistrate here. The case was postponed until May 6, Michael Horosby writes.

Both Mrs Sparks and Mr Simon, who writes for The Economist and the Financial Times, have been provisionally charged with attempting to defeat the ends of justice. Neither was asked to plead.

Policeman kills 21 at funeral

Kampala (Reuter) - A Ugandan Special Forces policeman went berserk and shot dead 16 people at the funeral of a colleague last week before committing suicide, police dis-

closed yesterday. A further five people have since died of wounds inflicted in the shooting at a village near Soroti in eastern Uganda. Two of the dead were policemen.

Pinochet gibe



of Chile has accused the country's politicians of lacking morals. The remarks were apparently directed at a multiparty grouping which demand an end to military rule.

Rumasa charge

Madrid - The founder of the recently nationalized Rumasa holding company, Schor José Maria Ruiz-Matsos, has been formally charged with fraud, misappropriation of funds, falsification of documents, and illegal export of currency. Spain is said to be considering seeking his extradition from Britain.

Five to hang

Nyeri, Kenya (AFP) - A businessman who hired four assassins to kill a political opponent has been condemned to the gallows with them.

Up and away

New York (AP) - A giant King. Kong balloon, finally inflated on top of the Empire State building after six days of bad luck and bad weather, sprang a leak soon afterwards



مِكَدًا مِن الأميل

Fleet visit

affecting

air traffic,

Spain says

From Harry Debelius Madrid

The Spanish Government has sent "an urgent note of protest" to the international ivil Aviation Organization

claiming that British manocuvres off Gibraltar are interfering with normal air traffic, the Government con-

firmed here yesterday.

The Madrid daily Diario-16, insisted for the second succes ive day that the Royal Navy had violated Spanish territorial waters. The newspaper said the nuclear submarine Splendid

remained in Spanish waters for

nearly eight hours on Thursday.

However, there was no immediate official confirmation of the allegation.
The respected Madrid daily

El Pais speculated that the furore over the Gibraltar

manoeuvres might induce

Spain to postpone the next meeting on the Gibraltar ques-tion which was expected to take place between Denor Fernando Morán, the Foreign Minister, and Mr Francis Pym, the

Foreign Secretary, on April 25

The state-run radio network

riewed" a Spanish proposal to

declare Gibraltar a Nato base under the joint command of Spain and Britain, and to allow

the Spanish flag to be flown on

the Rock

Triumphant Hawke wins union and employer mandate to boost taxes

Mr Bob Hawke, the The employers throughout framing of the final com-Australian Prime Minister who the summit had repeatedly muniqué.

His new Labour Administration has won much more half of this year. room in which to manocuvre to reduce the budget deficit which is running at about \$A9,000m (about £5,300m) with the

The communique said the which the two sides managed to need for increased aggregate public spending might need to be met substantially from taxation. That might "require increases in taxation or less than full independent. than full indexation".

This mandate cancelled the Labour Party campaign promise in the March election to reduce taxes, and Mr Hawke said yesterday that the chances of granting tax cuts were very unlikely. "The possibility of general tax cuts is obviously, to put it at its lowest, very, very much less now in the light of all known facts."

The granting to the Government of the ability to increase taxes means that the Administration will be able to reduce the leficit without necessarily savigely cutting welfare pro-rammes which could be elec-oral suicide for a Labour

There was no reference in the ammunique about the end of the wage freeze introduced by he Fraser Government before Christmas and scheduled to last six months in Labour-con-trolled states and 12 months in those ruled by Liberal-National Party governments.

triumphed at the national asked thatthe wage freeze be The only dissenting voice was economic conference which extended to the end of the year, that of arch conservative, Mr ended in Canberra on Thursday, said yesterday that freeze now rests with the sland Premier, who said that he did not expect there would be any wage rises before September and little chance of tax cuts.

His new Labour Admini extended to the end of the year. that of arch conservance, rear that of arch conserva the commission in the second said.

movement and the employers to arrest the decline of the endorsement in the final com-munique, to raise taxes if each other's moderation sion of unemployment, and in

> reach consensus was an indication of the depth of the economic problem facing Australia, and for once both sides realized that the summit provided a unique opportunity for compromise

Although Mr Hawke only delivered the opening keynote lized wage fixing; address, and then chaired the Reaffirmed that the unions' daily sessions of the summit, his presence was felt behind the scenes, particularly in the



Mr Bjelke-Petersen: Only dissenting voice.

alf of this year. Mr Hawke, closing the The summit, which lasted summit, said: "The agreement four days, ended with the we have reached contains a representatives of the union basic framework and approach an on-going sense to put us on the path of sustained non-in-flationary growth."

Among the main points of the communique were that the summit: Agreed that unemployment and inflation should be tackled simultaneously:

Supported a return to centra commitment to the maintenance of real wages was an objective "overtime"; Said that employers recognized

that during the time of wage restraint dividend rises would also be restrained and would recommend this to their companies; Said that non-wage incomes should not move faster than

wages. Professional bodies should exercise restraint and, where no

authorities existed, groups of professional people should agree voluntarily to have their fees fixed by the Arbitration Declared that to ensure pro-

jected high economic growth was fairly distrubuted required community prepared to "place a priority on employ-ment and a restraint on self-

King Juan Carlos pays court to Dali

Señor Felipe González, the Spanish Prime Minister (left), greeting Queen Sofia in Madrid yesterday for the opening of what is thought to be the biggest exhibition of the works of Salvador Dali.

The opening was performed by King Juan Carlos (centre) who is being greeted by Señor Jordi Pujol, the President of the Catalan regional government, and Señora González.

Dali himself was too ill to attend the ceremony at the Spanish Museum of

Contemporary Art, Harry Debelius writes. Instead the 79-year-old Catalan artist sent a message from the Pubol castle, where he has lived since the death last year of his wife Gala, asking Prince Felipe, the heir of the throne to represent him.

Contacted by telephone, the artist said: "This is one of the happiest days of my life. It is just as it might have been during the Renaissance with the show inaugurated by a king".

Antenna 3 called on listeners to beycott British products, and announced that it will play no more British-produced music until the fleet leaves Gibraltar. The Madrid Catholic daily The exhibition contains not only paintings, but sculpture, jewelry and other creations. In addition, there is an accompanying exhibition of photographs by and of Dali and video displays of his work and his life. Ya alleged that, in secret negotiations between Spain and Nato before the Socialists came to power last year, the British Government "favourably

The event heralds the expected donation by the painter to the state of all of the works still in his possession. M Robert Descharnes, Dali's sec-retary, said on Thursday he thought he would do so when journalists were given a preview of the collection.

End Rock curbs, EEC insists

GIBRALTAR: denying that he was apologizing, Mr Joe Bossano, Gibraltar's trade union leader, sent the officers and men of the Royal Navy taking part in Exercise Spring Train a message explainlikely to need a great deal of ing the 48-hour blacking of their convincing otherwise.

Certainly Britain will oppose ships which ended yesterday afternoon, Richard Wigg writes. He said it was in no way lirected against the members of

the ships' companies, but was in protest over plans to close naval Navy to the rescue Equally France, Italy and Two helicopters from the aircraft carrier Invincible have

Greece will not contemplate Spanish entry to the Comm-unity until such time as they are satisfied by new, necessary measures to look after farmers who produce the type of products grown in Mediterranean regions - including wine, olive oil, fruit and vegetables. Negotiations on both these

issues have been making little headway for a considerable time. In theory, there should be substantial progress on both dossiers before the next European summit in Stuttgart on June 6. The leaders of the 10 issued instructions to this effect dockyards with a loss in when they met in Brussels last Gibraltar of 1,000 jobs.

There is a real feeling that the enlargement will of itself mean final accession treaty must pay became entangled with Spain's that the member-states must be attention to every detail this diplomatic protests to Britain prepared to let the Community time because the negotiations to budget grow beyond its present include Britain and then Greece legal limits. Britain has said have both proved to have been very firmly that it does not inadequate with traumatic re-

been involved in a rescue in the Gibraltar area. Late on Thursday night, the master of a semi-submersible oil rig-ander tow from Bilbao to eastern Spain radioed for help after sustaining back and leg injuries 130 miles west of the Rock, the Defence Ministry said. Two Royal Navy Sea King helicopters from In-vincible flew to the scene in 70 mph winds and poor visibility to evacuate the injured man.

The dockyards' civilian labour force will be working double time over the weekend to ensure the naval exercise begins as scheduled on Monday.

PLO stirs Warsaw ghetto row

From Roger Boyes

A new political squall has broken over the already sensitive Polish ceremonies marking next Tuesday's fortieth anniver-sary of the Warsaw ghetto uprising, an occasion that was supposed to ease the unrelationship comfortable between Jews and non-Jews and help Warsaw to put an end to its international isolation.

News that Mr Fuad Yaseen the Palestine Liberation Organization representative in Warsaw, planned to lay a wreath to the Jews slaughtered in the uprising prompted protests and dismay from the Israeli and American delegates.

Rabbi Alexander Schindler, president of the American Hebrew congregations, sent an angry telegram to the Polish organizers, who reassured him that the PLO would not take part in the official ceremony.

Mr Yehuda Ben Meir, Israeli Deputy Foreign Minister, said the Israeli delegation - compris-ing some 300 Holocaust survivors - would boycott the event if the PLO were allowed

More than a thousand Jewish delegates are expected to attend the ceremonies, which are being staged with much pomp. But misgivings have also been voiced by Jewish groups arguing that Poland had a record of antisemitism.

Although papers presented yesterday at a scholarly conference on Nazi genocide attempted to show that Poles played important role in proecting Jews during the last war, nany Jews still believe that the coles should have done more, and are likely to mention the 1968 antisemitic campaign The second criticism comes

from a former leader of the ghetto uprising, Dr Marek Edelman, who claims that the ceremony is an undignified to legitimize the attempt government Dr Edelman, who is boycott-

ing the ceremony, said yesterday that he is being followed by police and that the authorities have barred him from Warsaw he lives in Iodz — "for his authorities have barred him from Jaraber of his authorities have been a health of his him was her he lives in Iodz — "for his him was her of his him was her of him her of him her her him her h own safety." A number of Polish Jews had hoped to stage groups of South-east Asian countries" - in other words, the an unofficial commemoration service tomorrow.
Security is extremely tight in

Warsaw for fear that Arab groups will strike at such a large number of prominent Jews.

A 'great moment' as Runcie meets Zhao

topics discussed was the cordial relationship between the Archits supported Prince Sihanouk as bishop and the Church in the leader of the coalition

"This is a great moment for Pot. me," Dr Runcie said when the two met. Mr Zhao, who has been having talks with the Government on trade and international relations, said he visit to China later this year. Dr Runcie visited China

Zealand on a pastoral visit. visit, launched an Mr Robert Muldoon, the superpower rivalry.

Peking gibe

at Hanoi

troop offer

Peking (Reuter) - China yesterday described as ridicu-

lous Vietnam's pledge to with-draw some if its 180,000 troops

from Camodia next month.

saying that, on the contrary, Hanoi has been strengthening

its forces there.
The New China News Agency

also dismissed Hanoi's call for

the one hand and the Associ-

ation of South East Asian

Nations (Asean) as a fresh

diplomatic offensive aimed at

China and Asean, which

groups Indonesia, Malaysia, the

Philippines, Singapore and Thailand, jointly back the coalition of Cambodian resist-

ance groups fighting to end the four-year-old Vietnamese occu-

The Chinese news agency

said in a signed commentary

that it was noteworthy that the

dialogue proposed by Hanoi had one precondition: it must

be conducted between "the two

agency said, between Asean and

the Hanoi-dominated Indo-Chinese states, including the Heng Samrin administration in

subduing the Asean countries.

The Archbishop of Canter- New Zealand Prime Minister, bury, Dr Robert Runcie, and said after talks with Mr Zhao Mr Zhao Ziyang, the Chinese that the two countries were Prime Minister, met briefly in adopting an almost identical Wellington yesterday. Among position on Cambodia. China had made it clear that

> government and not Mr Pol Later, at a state luncheon in

his honour, Mr Zhao said China would support whatever choice of government the Cambodian international relations, said he looked foward to Dr Runcie's people made "in a genuinely free election under the supervision of the United Nations.

without meeting representatives nese leader had expressed oif the Government. A del- concern about the Soviet naval egation from the church in build-up in the Pacific and its China subsequently visited use of Vietnamese facilities. London at the Archbishop's Mr Zhao, speaking to the Mr Zhao, speaking to the local magistrate's robes were invitation. Dr Runcie is in New press for the first time on his stolen and burnt before being visit, launched an attack on dumped on his doorstep in a Mafia-style warning.

halt killings

Palermo (Reuter) - Police have arrested 60 people in Sicily in the past 24 hours in an attempt to stop a wave of Mafia killings and protect magistrates from threats to their lives.

60 held in

Palermo to

yesterday they sealed off several areas of Palermo and detained 15 men suspected of involvement in the murder of Antonino "Nino the Rich" Sorci, a Mafia boss, earlier this week. He was one of 12 men shot dead this week in Sicily. The latest outbreak of gang

war is thought by investigators to be linked to a feud over profits from recent huge heroin trafficking deals with organized crime families in the United

Italy's Supreme Council for the Magistracy is examining new ways of running Mafia trials to try to halt growing intimidation of magistrates and urors A six-member Supreme Council delegation is in Sicily to investigate the problem. In the town of Carini, the

ditional for European summit very firmly that it does not inadequate with traumat meetings to include a paragraph agree with this estimate and is sults for the Community.

join the EEC until it lifts its looking forward to Spanish restrictions on crossing the membership of the EEC and Gibraltar frontier. Whatever the stage of the bilateral negopressed forward on the subject any idea of increasing the atmount of money available to tiations between London and Madrid on Gibraltar's status, the Community budget until it is totally satisfied about ar-rangements for the future with the greatest speed. Despite that, the expected date of Spanish entry into the Spanish entry to the Community would mean it could not Community has slipped clusivefinancing of the Community as

From Ian Murray, Brussels

the more intransignent prob-

lems facing the community. These are the future financing

and the related matter of reform

naval power to the point where

Atlantic and the Mediteranean.

them to interfere in the interna

Soviet Union, by contrast, had

Admiral Gorshkov said the

other countries.

Writing in Pravda. Admiral

In the Commission's view

maintain the tight control it has imposed at the frontier. ly ever since the application to oin was first made on July 28, Mr Douglas Hurd, Minister of State at the Foreign Office, Some thought at the time that the complicated negotiations

Spain will not be allowed to or two in their final statement

made this clear in the Commons last Wednesday when he said it was inconceivable that might take only three years. Then a target date of January 1, Spain should become a member 1984, was fixed. Now the best of the Community while any guess is that it cannot be before restrictions remained. The trouble is that negotiations have become inextri-cably intertwined with two of

In fact, border blocks of the kind used by Spain run counter to the principle of free movement of workers and goods which is one of the main principles of the EEC. Spanish entry to the Commof the budget - including the British contributions problem -

unity, however, still looks a long way off. Before nego-tiations are complete, it could be that a decision about full endum, and this of itself could have the effect of reducing the present tension over the prob-

It has almost become tra-

US navy 'threat to Russia'

From Richard Owen, Moscow

tic. The aim was clearly to close Soviet Navy, has accused the both Pacific and European United States of increasing its waters in time of crisis. had "over 180 warships" in the

Atlantic and Mediteranean. Gorshkov said the United States maintained more than 100 naval and air bases in foreign countries and was using

American aim was "world domination". To this end America had built up its navy ing on the Senate vote on Wednesday, Tass described him as "an outright hawk and on a global scale. In the Pacific, American forces posed a threat to the Soviet Far East, especialy following the stationing of nuclear-capable American bombers on Japanese tearitory. opponent of measures to curb the arms race". near Kamchatka last autumn were evidence of "aggressive

schemes intended to establish methods of imposing a block-ade on the Soviet Union from the sea", Admiral Girshkov It was no coincidence, the bases around the globe, with access to others, and maintains forces in Eastern Europe. Navy chief wrote, that while American warships and aircraft carriers were patrolling the Sea According to Diplomats here,

American and allied Nato warships were carrying out

Admiral Sergei Gorshkov, naval manoeuvres in the Atlan-Commander-in-Chief of the tic. The aim was clearly to close

it can impose a blockade on Russia from the Pacific, the

affairs of smaller nations. The Adelman attacked Moscow (Reuter) - Tass no bases on the territories of yesterday denounced the confirmation of Mr Kenneth Adelman as the United States' arms control chief. Comment-

> claim that it is threatened by American nuclear and naval forces in the Far East. Observers found Admiral Gorshkov's contention that Russia's "defensive strategy" did not involve foreign bases puzzling, however, since the Soviet Union has several naval

the Soviet Union is launching a campaign to persuade Asian countries that Moscow is

"encircled" by American military might, and that Asian Governments should be more friendly to the Soviet Union. Moscow is expected to formulate its new Asian policy in the light of the visit to South

said the *Pravda* article was to Mikhail Kapitsa, the Deputy justify the continued expansion of Soviet naval forces, and to draw attention to Moscow's year.

One of the main topics raised during his talks with Asian leaders has been Cambodia, where nearly 200,000 namese troops have been stationed for more than four

Mr Kapitsa's trip coincided with clashes between Viet-namese and Thai troops following attacks by Vietnamese-led forces on Cambodian rebel bases on the Thailand-Cambodia border.

Mr Kapitsa said in Singapore that if the countries of the Association of South-east Asia Nations (Asean) did not cease opposing Vietnan's policies in the region, then Vietnam would support insurgent groups operating against Asian govern-ments, which are non-communist.

this as proof that Vietnam's policies in Cambodia and South-east Asia generally are ultimately controlled from

De Lorean defence claims a federal conspiracy

pation.

From Ivor Davis, Los Angeles

Company, and the US Justice Department "have improperly hared information, hunches und confidential information umong themselves and the news

o consider the allegations, the charges that he and two other lefence, in new documents men conspired to smuggle 220lb lisclosed earlier this week in a of cocaine, worth about \$24m ederal court, noted "the re- into the United States.

Mr John De Lorean's defence lationship now enjoyed among eam has claimed that the these groups, if investigated by Internal Revenue Service, credithe Government, would be Internal Revenue Sat Vat.

Tors of the De Lorean Motor termed a conspiracy.

News of the defence's hearing

request came shortly after the Associated Press petitioned for access to the documents.

Mr De Lorean, aged 58, who is free on \$5m (£3.5m) bail, is Calling for a special hearing awaiting trial on August 9 on



visit vesterday to an old Australian gold-rush town.

Royal couple in plane scare From Grania Forbes, PA Court Correspondent, Bendigo, Victoria

The Prince and Princess of Princess was not told of the Wales yesterday flew in an aircraft considered by its A Royal Australian Air Force officer said: "The captain thought it not prudent to carry captain to be potentially dangerous, because they did not wish to disappoint thou-sands of people who had passengers. He considered it a potentially dangerous aircraft. turned out to see them in

Victoria, Australia. The aircraft's flaps jammed as it brought the royal couple in to land at the small town of Beudigo and it circled for several minutes before the crew were able to lower the flaps manually.

The same thing happened when the aircraft, a British-

built HS748 turbo-prop, had

arrived at Ballarat to pick up

the Prince, an experienced pilot, decided that they would fly in the sircraft. The

the Prince and Princess. Bu

press officer for the royal couple, said there was anxiety, no problem and no When the royal couple arrived in Bendigo, 100 miles from Ballarat, the town was

The plane was considered But Mr Victor Chapman. Woomargama on a back-up aircraft flown from Canberra. The aircraft which caused the earlier problems was under-stood to be under repair.

The final engagement of what has undoubtedly been a triumphint and happy tour of swamped with well-wishers. Earlier, the royal couple were challenged by an Austra-Australia is a dinner-dance at the Melbourne Hilton tonight. lian trooper who claimed they were the "most wanted" people in the old gold rush area of Sovereign Town. The Tomorrow morning the Prince and Princess fly to New

British concern at Greek land ruling came when the couple rode in a Wells Fargo-type stage coach through the dusty streets, surrounded by jesting crowds. After their engagements at Bendigo the couple flew back to their Australian base at

staged a welcome in the

The highlight of the day

manner of the days of 1854.

Greek Government.

Mr Peregrine Rhodes, the

From Mario Modiano, Athens The British Government's Thursday and among other concern over the possible topics broached the issue of the consequences of a Supreme possible effects the court's

Court ruling on British owners judgment could have on British of property in Greek frontier owners of real areas, has been conveyed to the frontier areas. owners of real estate in Greek

ruled that the sale of an estate in Britain in this connexion. the island of Corfu 14 years ago Unconfirmed reports suggest of a lower court invalidating the to a Greek company largely that more than 1,000 Britons controlled by British interests, own property in Corfu alone 15-acre was null and void.

Foreign Under-Secretary, on matter. It is understood that the frontier districts.

British embassy intends to press the matter further as soon as it has studied the full text of the court's ruling.

The Supreme Court's judgment dsmisses an appeal by a reek Government.

The ambassador emphasised Greek company controlled by The Supreme Court last week the widespread concern felt in Mr Jacob Rothchild, the London Banker, against a decision transaction for the purchase of a 15-acre estate at Synies in

British Ambassador, called on Mr Kapsis took note and a 1927 decree bars foreigners Mr Yiannis Kapsis, the Greek promised to investigate the from acquiring property in The tribunal ruled that since



THE TIMES **DIARY**

Second thoughts

When the Society of Authors, for the sake of legal privileges and bargaining power, registered as a trade union. Lady Antonia Fraser, its former chairman, resigned her membership. Her grounds, I gather, were that writers should not be in unions which might raise the threat of a closed shop and so on. Now, learn, she has quietly rejoined. motice, moreover, that she is among more than 100 signatories to a round-robin in the latest issue of The Bookseller demanding a mini-mum wage in the publishing houses of £6,500 a year (more than some authors earn). The others who have put their names to it include such militants (pardon the word) as Michael Foot, Michael Meacher and Tony Benn.

Heal thyselves

The showroom of the Health Education Council in New Oxford Street has been displaying a sign that it is impossible to stay open at lunchtime, due to staff illness. Yesterday things took a turn for the worse. Callers to the outpatients department of the Middlesex Hospital were being told that the department was closed because everyone was sick.

Delayed action

Peter Danckwerts, professor of chemical engineering at Cambridge and a wartime bomb disposal expert, was scornful at the beginning of the week about the way London was brought to a halt for the unexploded bomb in the Thames. He believes the bomb may have been one of four dropped in daylight in late 1940, when its presence briefly closed the Northern Line tube. It was seen to fall in the river without exploding by the steward of the Seven Seas Club for Master Mariners, a vessel moored on the north embankment. The Northern Line runs under the river at about that point. Danckwerts was sent into the Tube tunnel to consider whether, if the bomb exploded, it would flood. No one knew how long a delayed action fuse might be, and divers sent down to search could not see each other, let alone the bomb. The hunt was abandoned, the bomb supposed a dud, and the Tube reopened. Possibly it is now safe again for the first time since.

Old salts

Much as I admire the lifeboatmen, I am perturbed by some of the questions in a nationwide ballot the Royal National Lifeboat Institution is carrying out with a view to revising its rule book. One question asks whether coxswains should be obliged to take on service "anyone medically unfit", and another 'anyone who has been drinking" Oddest of all though is a question asking what should be the preferred age for the retirement of coxswains run from 50 to 90 years of age.

Wildlife Publications received an order for three of their books: one copy each of You Can Build a NASA Communication Satellite: You Can Build a Three Foot Model of the Space Shuttle: and You Can Build a Solar Powered Satellite. They were wanted for the Pcople's Republic of China.

Straight talking

The news that Gay News is to cease publication as a result of a breakdown in negotiations for its sale to the staff puts into abeyance a proposal by Michael Heath that he should draw a strip cartoon for the paper entitled The Straights. Heath already draws The Gays for Private Eve. but is reportedly embarrassed by complaints from aggrieved homosexuals.

Last year he signalled the end of The Gays, but took up his pen once more when Gay News responded with a cartoon suggesting that he had run out of stereotypes. Heath was interviewed recently for Gay News, and The Gays were missing from Private Eye's last issue. But Eye editor Richard Ingrams claims to have stiffened Heath's resolve once more and The Gays will return. The Straights, meanwhile, must wait to see whether the Gay News staff can succeed in getting their affairs straightened out. (Sorry.)

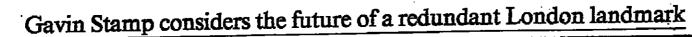
It really was

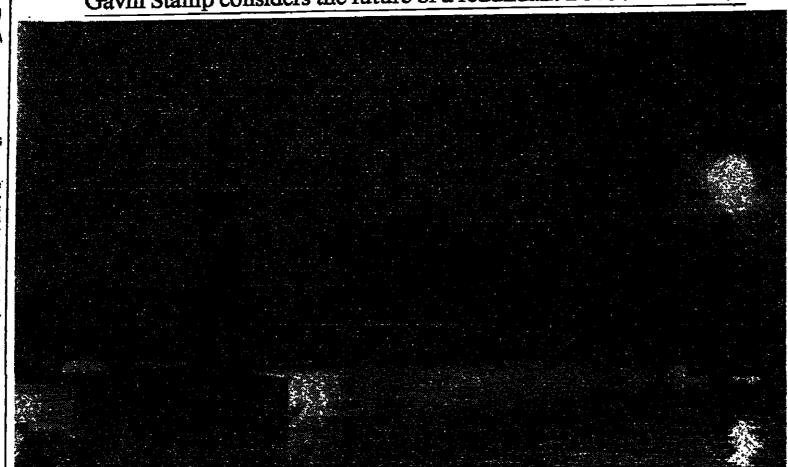
As I thought, no one is watching Channel 4 by the time it closes down. But some people do videotape late programmes while they sleep, and so I can now confirm my story (A real clock-up, April 11) that on the night the clocks went forward the computer with the confirmation of the confirmation. the computer switched off Channel 4 automatically, cutting the late night film of its last 20 minutes. Two readers have written to thank me. They had found their tapes of This Gun for Hire ended abruptly in midaction, and had assumed until they read my piece that it was their video tape recorders which had gone on the blink.



Bournemouth's image as a bath chair society is being put to the test. A delegation from Durban, South Africa, has challenged the town to a

race between this geriatric form of transport and their own counterpart, the rickshaw. But a search bas revealed that Bournemouth's only chair is in the town's Russell Cotes Museum, and is unlikely to stand the tringenia, and is difficult to stand the race, planned for May 10. Now Bournemouth's tourism department is appealing to residents — young or old — who may have a dworthy specimen secreted in an





What shall we do with this cathedral of power?

Industrial buildings can be beautiful. The trouble with power stations is that they have very short lives. In the short, century-old history of electricity generation, the building type evolved rapidly and when Battersea was built power stations were considered to have a life of about 30 years. To have spent money on a solid, carefully designed and well finished permanent structure may seem absurdly shortsighted, but in the long run we are all dead and in the short term temporary buildings can be ugly and a daily affront. For 50 years now Battersea Power Station has succeeded in its original brief and, for the benefit of millions of Londoners, has succeeded in giving architectural dignity to a dirty, anti-social industrial process.

Some argue that the building should not have been listed in the The irony is that Battersea was not wanted in the first place. When, first place, but problems of re-use in 1927, a huge new power station was first proposed for a prominent are of no concern to the department's inspectors, who are con-cerned to make an objective site by the Thames, the boroughs of assessment of architectural quality Westminister and Chelsea pet-itioned the London County Council or of historical importance. And in the history of electricity generation to stop it. The President of RIBA and of industrial architecture, told the Prime Minister that the Battersea has a very special place. It station's smoke would damage was the biggest power station in historic buildings and pictures in the Tate Gallery. The affair was debated Britain when opened in 1935; it has also become a much loved - as well in the Commons and permission was granted only when the Minister without that familiar silhouette, and per cent of the sulphur and the journey into Victoria will be less impurities could be removed from dramatic without those walls of the smoke (achieved by water and brick filling the window as the train teak slats, or "scrubbers", in the trundles along the adjacent viaduct.

corner towers). This damaging controversy undoubtedly persuaded the London Power Company, in 1930, to wheel in a famous architect to try and mollify the opposition. This was Sir Giles Scott, who may have seemed an odd choice as he had not worked on an industrial building before, but as well as the Anglican cathedral in Liverpool and many churches, Scott had also designed the GPO's telephone kiosk and he went on to use his industrial style on the Guinness Brewery in Park Royal. At

the job of improving the pedestrian elevations prepared by Messrs Halliday & Agate. This he did by carefully modelling the corner towers and "column" chimneys, by giving the great masses of wall a certain decorative drama with "jazz modern" fluting and by choosing a beautiful Worcestershire brick and a straw-coloured mortar.

Scott was not, however, respon sible for the extraordinary and elaborate interior of the power station - extraordinary in that it could only ever be enjoyed by employees of the London Power Company. The great turbine hall of Battersea 'A' was lined by giant fluted pilasters faced in faience, while the control room has a jazzy, illuminated coiling and walls of Ribbon Napoleon and Belgian black marble. Today the turbine hall has been stripped of its huge turbines and the floor has been removed. Only the control room is left intact and, with its control desks and formidable ranks of dials and switches, is well worth preserving. But what for?

Ideas for the building's future are, fortunately, not lacking. First in the field was Save Britain's Heritage ever anxious to show that conservation: can be practicable and Richardson was commissioned to made into a vast indoor sports arena, combined with an engineering museum (the Science Museum certainly needs to expand). The surrounding land, once covered by coal trucks and coal, could be used might please the local borough, Wandsworth, as the area between the power station and Nine Elms market is occupied both by new industry and by housing. Other ideas include a giant discothèque and an incinerator for rubbish which would generate electricity.

Save's report seems to have had the desired effect, for the Central Electricity Generating Board is showing a more positive and imaginative attitude to its redundant buildings than other nationalized industries, such as British Rail, and is holding a competition to elicit other ideas for the future of Battersea. Details of this will be published in the next few weeks, but the CEGB is not organizing this themselves. Rather it has asked the Taylor Woodrow group to organize the developer competition to find a viable use for the listed building, and it is reassuring to learn that the retention, unaltered, of the exterior

I trust that Taylor Woodrow were not chosen because of their success in "conserving" St Katharine's Dock. There they began with five warehouses; today there is just one left. The judges of the competition have yet to be announced. If I was a judge I fear I would favour a scheme that included the emission of smoke from the chimneys.

So Battersea may well be pre-served. But is it the only power station worth keeping, and is it the best? Dunston "B" power station near Newcastle was built in 1930-33, exactly contemporary with Battersea, but there the engineers Merz & McClellan adopted a very different architectural solution. Instead of a monumental masonry exterior, the turbines at Dunston were covered by an elegant, functional cube of glass and steel, an idea more in tune with modern thinking. But the Dunston chimneys have also ceased to smoke and the power station lies cold, unlisted and unloved in the industrial wastes of Gateshead. It

And then there is Bankside, opposite the City, begun in 1947 and finished only in 1960. Yet this, too, will soon be redundant and it was Scott's masterpiece: the only com-"cathedral of power". Battersea was undertake a feasibility study and in a compromise with which he was his report, published in 1981, he never quite happy; at Bankside he showed how the building could be gathered up the flues into one great campanile. It is a beautifully composed and detailed mass of fine brickwork and in much better condition than Battersea. It ought to be listed and it could also be found an alternative use. I hope the CEGB for housing and shops. Such a use are thinking of its next competition.

The author is chairman of the Thirties Society and the author of Temples of Power, a book of lithographs of London's electricity generating stations by Glynn Boyd Harte (Cygnet Press, Burford, Oxon).

C Three Newspapers Lindsed, 1923

In the south-eastern counties and south London they found just over 10 million trees outside woodlands or about one tree for every person in the region. They found well over 300,000 elms, of which 206,460 were dead, and about 2.5 million oaks, of which almost all were alive.

What was it all for? Mr Mike Locke, a veteran of the 1947 survey and now the commission's census supremo, said that one of the surprises in the latest investigation had been the large number of fast growing cypresses in gardens. "You only have to take a train or bus journey to see how many cypresses there are," he said.

But he insisted that there was more to the census than spending three years discovering something that could be spotted from a train window. Lone trees made an important contribution to the appearance of the landscape, and powerful forces wanted to know how many there were. "The Department of the Environment and the Countryside Commission thought it would be nice to have that information," Mr Locke said.

The commission's computers are producing a formidable barrage of information. Nobody disputes, for example, the commission's claim that Berkshire has 1,660 lone conker trees with trunks between eight and 12 inches wide in diameter. The council claims that if any comparison can be made between the 1947 figures and the new ones, it is that the broadleaved area is slightly but distinctly smaller in the south-east, and not the same as the commission claims.

Mr George Peterken, the council's chief woodland specialist, thinks it unfortunate that the new census does not distinguish recently planted broadleaved woodlands from ancient woodlands which date back to the Middle Ages. "There has been quite a loss of ancient woodland since the war," he said. "The broadleaved woodland which has replaced it is not so good a habitat for wildlife."

Hugh Clayton

David Butler Scrap, cackle and pap

drawing in the audiences it hoped element in the next election processed for the screen. campaign, as politicians rush to be consumed with the breakfast cereals. Few people appreciate how much the media have transformed electioneering in the last generation. And what has happened so far may

be only the beginning.

In the early 1950s, when television and radio blacked out general elections, the voters got their campaign news through the press. Eighty per cent of people saw one out of the 10 very partisan Fleet Street newspapers, which filled their columns mainly with reports of the eaders' speeches at great evening rallies. Challenge and response was lacking. There was very little intermeshing between the arguments of the two sides. Each seemed to be manoeuvring against straw armies of their own devising.

The scene changed sharply in 1959. Radio and television began to report the campaign for the first time and to provide occasions for the rivals to meet in argument. These party confrontations before an audience watching in the quiet of their homes tempered the customary excesses of political rhetoric and, together with dutifully balanced news coverage, had the effect both of sharpening and blunting the political argument. On the one hand the two sides were forced to answer each other's case; on the other hand the public were taught how much less divided were the parties than they had thought; listening to two Oxbridge smoothies discussing the economy with studied reasonableness, it was much harder to divide the rivals into heroes and villains. A second phenomenon of 1959

was the coming of the morning press conference. Labour's General Secretary, Morgan Phillips, had been sidetracked into doing this routine chore, which in the past had dealt merely with details of meetings and leaders' tours. He seized the opportunity brilliantly and made headlines day after day, stealing unwonted column-inches in the most Tory of newspapers. The Conservatives had to follow suit. And so, ever since, to the delight of the media, Smith Square has seen press conferences every morning of the campaign at which party leaders set out the themes of the day and answer the challenges carried from the other side. The battle lines are set here and journalists realize that they can cover the election from London; they no longer have to secure all their stories by pursuing the party leaders around their exhausting provincial circuits.

The party leaders, too, have learnt that they win coverage not by a measured argument so much as by a quick quote that will grab 60 seconds of a news bulletin, or even by wholly epiphenomenal pseudoevents, photogenic happenings like walking through a shopping centre or cuddling a calf.

Over the past 20 years the process has been increasingly speeded up, Sir Robin Day conducts a 9 am phone-in on radio and any slip by his victim provides grist for the 10.30 press conference. That supplies the copy for the midday bulletins, which will often offer a platform for leading spokesmen on each side to make a riposte, which in turn will be dealt with on the early evening news and the later discussion programmes, in time for a final wrap-up in the 9 and 10 o'clock bulletins. Public meetings now make less and less contribution to the College, Oxford.

Breakfast television may not be reporting of an election, and the big rallies are set earlier and earlier so for, but it may offer a powerful new that the quick film clips can be

Breakfast television, it is to be feared, will further elongate the campaigning day. Leading figures, bleary though they may be, will not be able to resist the chance of nationwide exposure and, however small the audience, what they say on each channel will be monitored and provide material for the next broadcast or press conference.

At first sight, those who care for democracy should rejoice at these extended opportunities for debate. The more outlets there are the more escape is possible from the usually excessive focus on the top leaders of the parties; and the more diversified will be the weighing-up of the issues.

But it does not work like that There is a herd instinct in media coverage which encourages everyone to plagiarize everyone else and to follow the same story. There is also a lust for news that is new. Politicians find they can win headlines by saying something fresh, even if it is trivial; an accusation, a refutation, a counter-accusation all can sound original, even if they are worth no more than a quip at question time. The quick "quote" always seems to triumph over the reasoned paragraph. Old truths and fundamental issues can be ignored as boring while new trivia wins bold type.

The instant capping of the rival camp's stories has become the name of the game. No news editor will ignore an effective put-down from one side that responds to a trumpeted statement from the other. Occasionally there is some substance in the tit-for-tat but usually it involves the most ritual of pointscoring There are plenty of instances of stories with little intrinsic interest that are kept alive only by a dreary exchange of challenge and reply of the sort that, by current media conventions, demands con-

tinued coverage. Last month I watched an Australian election in which this process reached a new level. Each side monitored the other and produced its instant response. When Mr Paul Keating, now Australia's Treasurer, admitted on a Melbourne phone-in that he was not absolutely certain that everything in Labour's econornic programme would work out, only 10 minutes elapsed before Mr Fraser was making fun of him in Perth, 2,000 miles away. But this story, which led the bulletins for a few hours, was dead by the next day.

When the media report almost hourly, and insist on novelty, and when the politicians play up to their demands, the election is likely to become more and more trivialized. And then, as happened in Australia, the media will turn and bite the hand that has been feeding them; the editorials and the columnists will complain of the emptiness and the low level of the campaign. What is the politician to do when fundamental, carefully argued statements of the case for socialism or for monetarism go unreported, while well-honed rudenesses and flip accusations win attention? At election time, above all, a politician vants to be heard and he will spe in whatever terms get listened to.

turned into a continuous high-speed exchange that runs from crack of dawn to midnight the more the democratic debate is likely to be demeaned.

The author is a Fellow of Nuffield

Katie Lander

Not quite pukka but what a chukker

Elephant polo is not, as one might elephant football-bursting. Traimagine, a legacy of the Raj but one ditional polo balls were quickly of the newest international sports, substituted. The sticks, ranging in admittedly a minority one.

On April 1, appropriately enough, six teams assembled in Nepal's Chitwan National Park 75 miles south-west of Katmandu, with the Himalayas as a dramatic back-ground, for the first World Elephant Polo Association championships.
The teams, representing India,
Nepal, Scotland, England, British
Gurkhas and the US, were the
Rahjistan Ramblers, the Tiger Tops
Tuskers, the James Manciark Irregulars, the Edward Horswell Regulars, British Gurkha Gladiators (Hannibal's Own) and the Pan Am Jumbos. The spirit of prep school playing

fields quickly descended. The players, housed in tents with no electricity, no hot water and no shortage of gin, were cheerfully woken at 5.30 am for bacon and eggs. As the English team blearily pushed open the flaps of their tents, they were amazed to see their Indian opponents one by one taking their splendid red turbans from the head of their captain. Maharaja Sultan Singh had really mastered the art of wrapping their intricate head-dress and had won the team contract.

The polo field, better known locally as the Meghauly airstrip, was a 30-minute Land-Rover ride, fording two rivers - or a two-hour lumber away, depending on whether you were a player or a played-upon. The game required three men on each elephant, a sort of team within a team, with four beasts on each side plus one for the referee. Up front was the mahout, the animal's keeper, who, like Dr Dolittle, talked the elephant through the game. The official player sat behind, preca-riously perched on a straw-mattress waving an extraordinarily long polo stick. Another mahout at the back controlled the rope around the player's waist, simply to keep him on board.

The WEPA, founded by James Manciark, British bob-sleigh champion and polo player, initially assumed that a larger ball would be Environment Correspondent then changed from elephant polo to championship in Jaipur.

substituted. The sticks, ranging in length from 85 to 100 inches. according to the size of the elephant and player, had so much give in them that they were known by the pukka chaps as "whippies".

As the five-day championship developed, tactics improved. A language evolved between player and mahout, with the mahout's shirt collar used as a directional joystick. A sharp tug in one direction ensured that a message would instantly be transmitted to the elephant. Starelephants emerged. As the elephants travelled at only a measly two miles an hour, there was not too much time in a 10-minute chukker for sophisticated formations.

Each day crowds of bemused villagers surrounded the airfield to watch the teams, with their elegant outfits and eccentric ways, battle to become Elephant Polo Champions of the World.

Four days of serious play culminated in a final contest between the Pan Am Jumbos and the Tiger Tops Tuskers. Thousands surrounded the field to witness the clash. The real stars of the show, the elephants, had clearly been up all night being plastered with make-up. The toss for elephants was made, and once the field was cleared of droppings from the semi-final, play commenced.

The heat was sweltering. The visiting supporters shouted and screamed while the Nepalese calmly squatted around the edge, sensibly keeping cool under large black umbrellas. A few lucky ones had a grandstand view from the top of the airstrip's mobile staircase. Champagne flowed when the Tuskers emerged 2-0 winners, proving that polo experience at Windsor Great Park does not count for much where elephants are concerned.

The next day, peace and quiet returned to this jungle retreat. The elephants were back on their jungle safaris in search of the Royal Bengal Tiger, the great Indian one-horned rhinoceros and the sloth bear. The reams headed for Katmandu and the needed and so a consignment of long journey home. And already footballs was sent for. The game there was talk of a camel polo



Battersea Power Station is finally

about to become redundant. Later

this year the two remaining active

chimneys of one of London's most distinctive landmarks will cease to

emit their waste products of burning coal. After more than 50 years of

controversy and service what is to

The debacle over the recent

National Gailery extension compe-

tition does not suggest that a competition between developers is

necessarily the best way to better

buildings for the capital. None the

less just such a competition is now being planned to solve the problem-atic future of Sir Giles Scott's most

unlikely representative on the Environment Department's statu-tory list of buildings of architectural

DoE policy is that no listed buildings should be demolished until every possible alternative use

has been explored. New uses for

houses or commercial buildings are comparatively easy to find, and even

possible with redundant factories or

churches. But what alternative use

can be found for Battersea's vast

boiler room, two slightly less vast

turbine halls, some control rooms

and switch rooms, a few offices and

four gigantic concrete chimneys? The Central Electricity Generating

Board has asked a major construc-tion company to hold a competition

as hated - London landmark.

When built, Battersea Power Station

was widely admired as a "cathedral

of power", a striking modern design

for a very modern function. In 1938 a group of "celebrities" approached

by the Architects' Journal selected it

as the second best modern building

in Britain (first came the Peter Jones

store in Sloane Square, third the

London Transport headquarters). It

was placed first by Charles Laughton

and Rebecca West and was the only example proposed by the then Sir Kenneth Clark.

to find an answer.

or historical importance.

be done with it?

Commission has just spent three years and almost £1m on counting trees all over Britain. First results suggest that there is about one lone tree, perhaps in a garden or on a street corner, for every member of

the human population.
But the commission wants much more detailed information than that. The census is meant to tell it how many of each type of tree there are and how many of them are dead. It is also supposed to tell the commission how much growing timber there is in the country, even though much of it is decorative and

will never be chopped down. The census is taken only about every 15 years, and the commission sees the work as proof that it is a seat of learning as well as the pinnacle of a nationalized industry which owns most of our commercial timber.

Although most of the data still has to be processed by computer, the census has already met criticism. The commission claims that its survey of counties south of the Thames and west of Dorset shows that there is as much broadleaved woodland such as the much loved oak and beech woods now as there was at the time of the last big census

in 1947. The commission thinks that the census results so far support its claim to have produced a balanced post-war forestry policy with steady growth in the area of broadleaves and of conifers. Challenges have come from voluntary bodies such as the Woodland Trust, which says that



Mike Locke: "Nice to have the information"

the new and old censuses were conducted in ways so different that comparisons are invalid.

But the main opposition has come from the Nature Conservancy Council, a wildlife quango which feels that the commission's claim is over-optimistic.

Nobody quarrels with the commission's statistics because nobody else has sent 15 researchers into the fields and woods of Britain for three years. Only the commission has had the time and money to swoop-over parks and gardens in its own aircraft to photograph their leafy contents.

The press conference at which the commission produced its first results was ignored by most of the press. The few reporters who appeared were treated to a learned exposition about digitizing and laser

techniques. While the experts were speaking my thoughts drifted frivolously to the silent film in which Charlie Chaplin played an American soldier who disguised himself as a tree to escape gigantic Germans. With branches for sleeves he fled through a forest as his confused pursuers plunged their bayonets into unmistakably wooden trunks. A few pranksters equipped with such camouflage in recent years could have played havor with the commission's census

Woodlands were the easy part of the census since the commission owns many of them and keeps records of most of the rest. Trees outside woodlands had to be counted, sometimes with aerial photographs and sometimes by investigators on the ground.

مركذا من رلامل



34 Take 1

P.O. Box 7, 200 Gray's Inn Road, London WCIX 8EZ. Telephone. 01-837 1234

TIMING IT RIGHT

The constitution provides a The perfume of these expect deployment of nuclear missiles to be very special these days for the advice not to be accepted. a way that the average length of a parliament, the interval between general elections, has been three years and five months.

So we have five-year parliaments in theory and three-and-ahalf-year parliaments on average (or four-year parliaments if the "second bite" elections in 1966 and October 1974 are ignored). The span is too short for the health of the system. One of the defects of the British political system since the war has been the frequency of changes of direction in government policy. Not all the chopping and changing is due to general elections, nor do all general elections cause policy to swing. But the steady compression of the parliamentary term has a tendency in that direction. The tendency ought to be resisted.

The political introduction of beneficial changes in public arrangements and public attitudes needs as much time as is available, if they are to be lasting. The present Prime Minister is often quoted as saying that her government came in with a programme for two parliaments. The truth of that is to be found not only in the volume of legislation implicit in the programme, but even more in the need for a stable frameand ideas may become rooted and grow.

There is therefore a presump-tion against an early dissolution of parliament. It may be negatived by particular configurations of politics, but none of the familiar ones applies to this government at this time. It is in no danger of overthrow or collapse from within. It is firmly scated and its policies are maturing slowly but satisfactorily according to its own criteria. It shows less sign of there were sufficient objective exhaustion of persons or ideas reasons for the fall of sterling than is usual at this stage of the from its November level inde-political cycle. No novel issue of pendently of any fright Mr Peter great moment has arisen that Shore may have given the to contradict the presumption might be thought to require the markets; with his illustrative that the parliament should be judgment of the electorate.

All the same, serious reasons that are distinct from party ters have a presentational diffiadvantage are now being ad-culty in saying so, that the fall vanced in favour of a June they were always Mr Shore for election, ten or eleven months precipitating is a boon to the before time is up. Expectations economy. nave been allowed to develop so A more substantial reason for far, it is said, that it would now June is the state of the negobe unwise to disappoint them. tiations at Geneva about the

framework of quinquennial par-tations is certainly overpowering in Europe. The Kremlin, likely liaments. It was seven years until inside the Westminster hothouse enough, will not move towards a it became five in 1906. The five since it filled up again after the years are not a set term but a Easter recess, and there is s whiff maximum. The prime minister of it further afield. But it could may at any time advise the be rapidly dissipated by a Nato's contingent counter-de-

She has so far declined to take any of her many opportunities The prime minister's discretion for disavowal, most noticeably has been used since 1945 in such when she went on the air after when she went on the air after her return from the Falkland Islands in the new year, a pilgrimage that set the rumourrunning. Presumably she is. happy to see the speculation spread. But unless she is going to go on the strength of the local election results that will be in by early May she will have to

dampen speculation then. A related reason given for an early poll is that the parliament has now run its "natural" course, that the shadow of the election inhibits any further major and therefore controversial legis-lation, and that the political direction of the country will mark time for a year while all the actors suffer from electoral

neurosis. It is of course part of the case for full-term parliaments that the later stages should not be wasted by paralysis. It is true that if the election is not held notil next spring half a session's prime legislative time will be mostly lost. But legislation is not the sum of government or even its primary function. Foreign policy is largely conducted without it, and in so far as economic policy requires it, fiscal enactments and instruments should present no problem up to the very end of the parliament. If ministers are so mesmerized by the approach work in which policies, reforms of an election that they lose the power of decision and capacity for action, far better that they should run for it now. But there is nothing in the system or the present composition of politics to deprive ministers of the capacity to govern effectively in the last year of this parliament if they are of a mind to do so.

The "run on the pound" argument for an early election looks even less compelling now than when it was trotted out in January. It is now clear that devaluation. Besides, it is now allowed to run its full course, widely accepted, though minis- that it is better, for the good

compromise position at least until it has to resign the hope that political failure will frustrate sovereign to dissolve parliament. categorical disavowal by the ployment of cruise and Pershing. The circumstances would have Prime Minister. If missiles; and the Kremlin will. not resign that hope until all possibility of there being a Labour government in Britain by May 1984 is removed. At best therefore the prolongation of political uncertainty in Britain would delay a movement into constructive negotiation at Geneva, at worst it might preclude it altogether.

That argument deserves to be

taken very seriously in weighing the options for a dissolution, but it falls short of being decisive. The reluctance of the Russians to enter the area of compromise before the last possible moment is probably already established irrespective of their calculations about British domestic politics.

There remains an argument in which considerations of national interest and party advantage coalesce. On top of their familiar differences in social and economic programmes the Labour and Conservative parties diverge in respect of fundamental questions of defence and foreign policy - nuclear arms and membership of the European Community. These matters go deep into Britain's defence posture and the structure of its alliances. The fact that they are now in contention invests the pext general election with an importance all its own. To anyone who puts a high value on Britain's emplacement in the Community and its role in the western strategy of nuclear deterrence, that might seem a compelling argument, to the exclusion of others, in favour of an election at whatever moment is most likely to produce the desired result. June?

Inconveniently, the argument fails its only practical test, since it is far from plain when that moment of maximum advantage is or is to be. The entrails, which now include those of the Liberal/SDP alliance, are as difficult to read as ever.

The decision is by convention the Prime Minister's. If she goes for June she will not be without pretexts or precedents. But there is no present writing on the wall governance of the country, that the normal term within the fiveyear limit should be stretched not compressed. That, in all likelihood, will have been Mrs Thatcher's first view of the matter. She should be guided by

RECOVERY WITHOUT INFLATION

Claims that economic recovery their pettiness and futility to is about to begin have been those in the 1950s and 1960s. made several times in the last three years. So far they have always been wrong. It has been a trustworthy rule that the economy would show symptoms of renewed weakness as soon as a government minister made a speech heralding signs of stronger demand and activity.

But optimistic remarks are now coming from an unexpected quarter. Sir Terence Beckett, director-general of the Confederation of British Industry, predicted on Thursday that manufacturing output would rise by 31/2 per cent or more over the next 12 months, a rather higher figure than that foreseen by the Treasury. The CBI's new confidence is significant since in the past it has been consistently and, in the event, rightly - more cautious than the Government about business prospects. Definite, although as yet not very impressive, confirmation of economic improvement came with the publication yesterday of the February industrial production figures, showing a 1 per cent rise on January.

A revival may not, however, be an unmixed blessing. The recession seems to have instilled some good new habits in industry, notably a willingness among workforces to accept more advanced technology and union preparedness to relate wage demands to companies' ability to pay. There is a fear that recovery will cause a return to the bad old habits associated with prosperity.

The twenty-five years to 1973 saw not only increasing affinence, but also widespread resis relations, with an unfortunate rendency in many basic indusout over trivial issues. It is ominous that the recent upturn. which is still at a very early and tender stage, should have been accompanied by disputes in the British Steel Corporation and British Leyland very similar in

There is a more general concern The Government's overriding priority has been to reduce inflation. It has been prepared to see the worst recession since the 1930s in order to change attitudes and persuade wage-bargainers that macroeconomic policy will not accommodate excessive pay awards. But will the favourable shift in attitudes be reversed if the economy starts to move forward? Is higher inflation the inevitable associate of more buoyant economic conditions?

The evidence until now suggests favourable answers to these questions. Wage awards contime to decline and inflation, which should have been stimulated by the pound's depreciation on the foreign exchanges, has been more or less steady in the last few months. But it is hard to be certain that these are anything more than standard cyclical patterns;

The hope on this occasion must be that the downturn has been so severe, and the degree of slack in the economy has risen to such alarming levels, that behaviour will be different from that in a normal recovery. There is, indeed, one fundamental argument which suggests that behav-iour will be different. It is based on the familiar Friedmanite doctrine that, because the rate of wage increases will rise continuously if unemployment is beneath the so-called "natural rate", it is pointless and damaging for governments to manage demand in pursuit of a hypo-

thetical full employment target. This idea is generally regarded tance to change and poor labour as always having a gloomy and pessimistic message for policymakers. In its scepticism about tries for crippling strikes to break the ability of governments to change economic performance to promote full employment for the better it seems to be a anyway, it would be best if characteristic product of the ministerial statements continue dismai science. But, in present to emphasize that the main circumstances, its implications official economic responsibility are momestionably more encour- is the provision of a sound aging than many rival theories.

The point is that the continuous decline in wage settlements over the last three years suggests that unemployment today must be much above the natural rate. Moreover, as long as unemployment remains above the natural rate settlements will keep on falling. If, for example, the natural rate is two million and unemployment drops from three million to two-and-a-half million, there would still be so many people looking for jobs that employers would continue to exert downward pressure on wage awards. There could be a phase - and possibly a prolonged phase - of both falling unemployment and falling inflation. This would come to an end only unemployment was cut to beneath two million.

After the progressive deterior-

ation in economic performance over the last three decades it may seem foolbardy to suggest that there could come years of falling inflation and falling unemployment. But this benien combination has become possible only because the economy now suffers from such an appallingly high level of unused productive potential. The improved prospects - and many observers would deny that they exist - should not be a cause of

any particular jubilation. If a better outlook for jobs is to be reconciled with further declines in inflation it is essential that the Government does not trumpet the arrival of recovery too loudly. Awareness of an upturn may, ironically, tend to inflationary expectations, Ramoant inflationary expectations aggravate collective bargaining and are the enemy of both price stability and high employment Since the Government cannot in the long run do anything except by improving the workings of the labour market -

CHITCHCY.

Not so neutral

at the CABs From Mr 1. A. Millson

Sir, Mr Jonathan Davies (April 14) has completely misunderstood what the dispute about the citizens' advice bureaux is all about. The Minister is not criticizing the work done by the bureaux, or "attacking" the organization. Indeed, in his statement in Parliament (which Mr Davies clearly did not read) he went out of his way to pay tribute to the valuable work done by the bureaux.

What the Minister appears to be concerned about are activities which he considers to be of a political nature. If Mr Davies simply attends a weekly local session at one bureau, I doubt whether he is very well up in the internal "politics" of the organization. Many of the voluntary workers who spend more time in a bureau (of whom I am one) will know quite well what the Minister is concerned about.

.The advice bureaux organization is non-political, mainly staffed by voluntary workers, drawn from all shades of political opinion. It is largely financed from taxpayers' and ratepayers' money. It should main-tain a position of absolute political neutrality and not involve itself in matters of political controversy. Its proper role is to advise people on their existing rights, not to campaign to change those rights. There are people in the organization who would like to turn it into another left-wing pressure group. The Minister is presumably trying to see that this does not happen, and I, for one, have no quarrel with that. Yours faithfully,

JOHN MILLSON. 9 The Highway,

Lawful demonstrations

From Mr Evelyn King

Sir, If the words of the Home Secretary, spoken before Parliament rose in the House of Commons were correctly reported (Parliamentary report, April 2), he appeared to say that what is going on at Greenham Common was lawful. Stated thus it is not so.

What should be made clear is that, whilst the act of demonstrating is, of course, lawful it ceases to be so if exercised by strangers on the floor of the House of Commons, on my lawn, in gateways, or in any circumstances in which trespass, damage to property, and obstruction are involved, and at Greenham these are all involved.

If the illegality were confined to the nuclear fission issue it could be argued that this is a special case and in the context of conscientious objection the law has often, in the past, been stretched.

But this is not so. Unemployment, gay rights, fox hunting, industrial disputes, animal rights, women's lib, racial equality (the list is endless) all seem now to assert not the right to demonstrate readily granted but the right to trespass, to obstruct, to damage and to hurt. These activities injure innocent people chosen at random.

They increase the charge to rates in respect of policing for this county or that. A single county has already spent huge sums of ratepayers money in this way. They reduce, at random, the value of homes, often painfully bought with mortgages hanging around people's necks. They, at random, invade privacy.

No demonstrator, however ideal his cause, however strong his conviction, can justify bullying of the innocent on an indiscriminate hit list. The abuse steadily grows. It is for MPs to move Parliament to protect their constituents from injustice. Yours traiv

EVELYN KING. Embley Manor, Nr Romsey, Hampshir April II.

Nuclear balance

From Mr Joe Gomme Sir, In your leader of March 31, discussing President Reagan's new proposals for the Geneva missile talks, you repeat the "absolute American requirement" that the British and French nuclear weapons be excluded from the negotiations.

Surely it is difficult for the Soviet Union to accept that the United States does not negotiate for Nato as a whole, since there is no accommodation of the anomalous position of Britain and France with respect to the two alliances.

Perhaps we might consider the problems for Nato representatives nherent in any decision by, for example, East Germany or Czechoslovakia to produce nuclear weapons. Yours sincerely, JOE GOMME,

Barleybat Hall, Church Lawton, Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire. March 31.

Christians and Jews

From Archdeacon Derek Hayward Sir, The one fact which Christians seem unable to come to terms with is that an uncrucified Jesus would not have been their and mankind's shorten its life by reviving redeemer. Failure to accept this may be partly due to the long tradition of preaching that "Our (your) sins sent Jesus to the Cross, and we crucify him afresh each time we sin", by which the preacher hopes to induce repentance by making his hearers hate their sinful selves.

Leaving aside the fact that Christian preachers ought to know better than to use hate as a weapon against anyone, the effect of this is actually to transfer the hatred to the people who obviously did send Jesus to the Cross. If I ought to hatmyself for crucifying Jesus iny sins - a connection which is not all that easy to see - how much more I ought to hate the people who really apparatus of Christian religious

who is truly crucified by sin is the sinner himself, and only in so far as it is true to speak of "Christ in me" does it crucify him.
As H. W. Vanstone has shown in

his recent book, The Stature of precisely the opposite effect.

This is hardly the place to enlarge on how that can happen, except to say that it is not in human power to bring about and that the whole

Visits to other foreign fields

airmen lost without trace as is

Searly shown on the Runnymede

Memorial where the names of

20,000 aircrew are commemorated.

That reduces the given figure

dramatically and out of those left some will already have visited their

husbands' graves, usually with financial help from their families, and there will be others who have no

It is very misleading and unfair

for anyone to give the impression that 65,000 war widows would all be

rushing to see war cemeteries if free

travel were to be provided, and it is

no doubt intended to damp down

singular lack of statistical data or

hard facts to support any of the

scheme of an Alliance for Progress and why has President Reagan

launched his Caribbean Basin

of aid has not conduced to harmony within the Third World". No one

has ever argued that it could or even that it should. This is a completely

new and specious argument.

G. C. ABBOTT, Chairman,

Centre for Development Studies, University of Glasgow, Adam Smith Building,

up the motivation

achievement. A certain kind of

school the spur to return to it in

pursuit of his own newly found

would demonstrate its commitment

election manifesto expressed that

distinguished teacher, but there are a

number of astonishing naiveties in-

The Nissen hut method doesn't

work any more, especially with

technical subjects, languages, science, and resource-based learning

generally. Grammar schools did not

fade away because of Mr Crosland.

but because ordinary people in a

democratic society want for their

children what the best people want

for theirs. Your proposal for streaming by aptitude will probably

As for the Manpower Services Commission, Mr Holland's job-specific syllabuses with their out-

right exclusion of the humanities,

arts, literature and religion are no

basis for general education, which is

Most important, most teachers I

know are both elitist and achieve-

ment-oriented: their own careers

word may mean - to be at work in

the participants so that they are built'

up rather than broken down by the

Jews we should be grateful to them for having been the instruments

which made this possible, though we

may be sad that a nation which, in

the course of its long history, has so

amply proved the redemptive power

of suffering should be unable to

accept that God himself first blazed

So far, therefore, from hating the

PETER SNAPE, Headmaster,

still the proper business of schools.

founder on the same rock.

have made them so.

King Edward VI School

daily events of their lives.

Yours faithfully,

South Devon.

Totales.

April 13.

the trail.

Yours truly,

DEREK HAYWARD

All Saints' Vicarage,

61 Church Street, Old Isleworth,

Again, they claim that "the flow

Similarly, they accuse aid of

is not enough to assert, one must be

Some of their claims are really

Yours faithfully

IRIS STRANGE

40 Lime Avenue,

High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire, April 14.

Initiative?

able to prove.

building

ambition.

intention.

April 13.

vour article.

Yours faithfully,

ALAN HASELHURST.

House of Commons.

From Mr Peter Snape

Yours faithfully,

claims which they make.

wish to make such a pilgrimage.

From Mr Merlyn Rees, MP for Leeds ing visits by war widows to war South (Labour) There are now only 55,000

journeys.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

مكذا من رلامل

Sir, Your editorial, "The geography of grief" (April 14), on the matter raised by Lena Jeger in the House of Lords, concerns the need for those widowed by war to be helped to visit the graves of their loved ones, put the issue in perspective in its concluding words. If at all possible the bereaved should be able to visit those corners (of a foreign field) however great the lapse of time since their loss. They have a claim on our compassion, our gratitude and our

I have written to the Prime Minister twice on the matter and on January 18, 1983, she wrote to me expressing the view that me numbers would be very large, and it would be far too difficult and expensive to organise."

I realise the problems, but why not introduce a phased scheme beginning with those widowed in 1914? As the Prime Minister reminded me, there was a scheme for relatives to visit European war cemeteries in the late forties and early fifties.

If it could be done then, and not

all entitled availed themselves of it; the Falklands visit could be organised; then the Government can act now. There is a sense of injustice which

has been stimulated by the recent Falklands visit which the Government must remove. Yours sincerely. MERLYN REES. House of Commons.

April 14. From Mrs Iris Strange Sir, I strongly dispute figures given by the Ministry of Defence concern-

Aid to Third World

From Mr George C. Abbott Sir, Professors Peter Bauer and Basil Yamey claim (feature, April 11) that quite extraordinary. They claim, for aid cannot significantly promote instance, that "a poor South is no development, relieve poverty in the military threat to the West". Why, Third World, promote world peace then, did the US get involved or make friends for the West, relieve in Vietnam? Why did President unemployment at home; nor can it Kennedy embark on his grandiose

resolve the so-called international

financial crisis. Isn't this asking an awful lot of aid? In 1981, total resource flows from the OECD countries as a group averaged 1.2 per cent of their combined gnp. To have achieved or at least made significant inroads into any of these major world problems would have been remarkably cheap at that price.

However, the real weakness of their article is they present a blanket condemnation of aid without actually specifying what type of resource flows they are talking about. Consequently, private capital flows which account for more than half the total resource flows to the developing countries are treated as though they are official development assistance, generally taken as the programme. In fact, there is a April 12.

Filling the school void qualify for some measure of

From Mr Alan Haselhurst, MP For Saffron Walden (Conservative) Sir, Your reform plan for education (leading article, April 12) would bring the Manpower Services Commission and practical skills training into the heart of the schools. This is wise advice, but the question is whether it goes far enough. The "school void" may never be properly filled whilst education and training are kept so far apart.

It is no slur on our schools or the efforts of teachers to observe that a significant proportion of pupils depart from the formal education system without adequate pre-paration for economic life. For a disturbingly high number it has been early departure by means of truancy. This is a serious commentary on the relevance of what schools can offer to many of their clients. It is all the more depressing when young people at a later time are heard to bemoan their missed opportunities. The present system provides too few

second chances. If there is to be a better marriage between training and education, I believe it may be altogether too restrictive to suggest that this can occur only within the school. The legislative framework might be broadened to allow, where appropriate, a pupil-trainee's development to be treated as a managed whole between the ages of 13 and 19.

Free passage could be arranged between the classroom, the college, the training workshop, the work experience scheme and the community service opportunity. The formula would vary according to the needs of a particular person and supervision would remain with the teacher, but a teacher with an enhanced tutorial responsibility for which special training would be require

By taking a pupil who is plainly not benefiting from the classroom and placing him in an alternative environment, there may be a better chance of uncovering talent and

were responsible. In fact the person observance in all its varied forms is designed to enable the power which was released in the Crucifixion and subsequent Resurrection of Jesus leaving aside exactly what that latter

Waiting, those who were responsible for the death of Jesus from Judas onwards acted in accordance with what Jesus wanted and expected and had they not done so the key to the human condition would not have been revealed to a suffering humanity. For the unique insight which Christianity has to offer is that the forces which seem to break us down - and what could break a man down more than being crucified? - can in fact have

Burning issue for birds in wild

From the Director of the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds widows still living whose husbands were killed in the Second World Sir, As spring unfolds, nesting birds in the uplands will be threatened with fire and destruction. Every War. Those from the First World War are so elderly that it is doubtful whether any could undertake such year, often for otherwise sound land management reasons, moorland is . burned well into the nesting season, Out of the 55,000 war widows left despite legal sanctions designed to many thousands do not know where their husbands are buried because stop this suffering. A RSPB survey in Wales found 2,341 burns taking they lie in unidentified graves. There are many thousands of men who place after March 31 in a year when only 29 licences were issued to were lost in the Far East where that permit burning beyond that date. It applies, as in the case of my own husband. Thousands more were lost seems that existing regulations are at sea and many more thousands of

widely flouted. Sadly, an opportunity for a cool look at the issue has been avoided by the Ministry of Agriculture. Following sketchy consultations with interested parties, the minister has tabled new draft regulations in Parliament, soon to become law. It appears to the RSPB that the Government intends both to relaxcurrent restrictions and to perpetuate the unsatisfactory licensing

procedures. In the past two years there has been only one prosecution in Wales for breach of existing regulations. This exemplifies the need for enforceable sanctions to protect not only the breeding birds but pasture

public sympathy by implying that the number involved is far too great to be considered. The truth is that the real figure is probably a very and woodlands from over-intense or poorly managed summer burning. The legitimate interests of all concerned with management and conservation of English and Welsh uplands could have been accommodated by creating an expert working party on the subject. The Depart-ment of Agriculture and Fisheries Hon President/Secretary, British War Widows and Associates, for Scotland has followed such a course, but this equitable solution has eluded the men at the ministry. Yours faithfully,

IAN PRESTT, Director, The Royal Society for the Protection Sandy, Bedfordshire.

Seville thieves

From Mr Peter Webb

Sir, A note of warning should be sounded for Britons planning to visit Seville this summer. The place is infested with thieves who prey on foreign tourists.

A few days ago two friends of mine were robbed outside their hotel by motorcycle thieves who snatched the wife's handbag containing her British passport, all their money and travellers' cheques as well as other valuables. My friend's wife was dragged along the ground for about 20 yards when she tried to cling on "being the source of North/South conflict". Surely, the onus is on them to produce some hard to her handbag. As a result, my friend had to abandon a planned sixevidence to support such a claim. It week European vacation and fly back to Britain

At the British Consulate the nextday we met a British couple who had been robbed as they drove in a rented car from Seville airport to the centre of town. The thieves threw bricks through the car window whileit was stationary at a traffic light and snatched the wife's handbag containing all their money and her passpor

Consulate officials said there had been three reported robberies that young person may find outside the morning, and that attacks on tourists had become a commonplace event which the police seemed

powerless to stop.

Back at our hotel, we encountered Surely this is an area to be explored and the Conservative Party an elderly British woman whose daughter had suffered a broken arm to good education for all if its and leg when motorcycle thieves attempted to snatch her handbag. And when I went to examine my car. parked a few yards from the hotel in the cathedral square, I found that the radio had been stolen.

As I left Seville, with the intentionof never returning, I noted that the streets were full of policemen. Alas, they were not there to catch the thieves or protect the tourists but to Sir, Many teachers will agree with much of what you say in your leader, "Filling the school void", of April 12, especially where you control traffic for a visit by the King of Sweden. Sincerely. rightly stress the importance of the

PETER WEBB, Casa dos Arcos. Pereiras Almansil Algarve, Portugal

Post-coital pill From Dr C. B. Goodhart

Sir, Whether or not anyone is still bothered to find out if the soul "enters" a human egg at fertiliza-tion, or at any other precise moment in time, as Professor Glanville Williams supposes (April 13), one thing is sure and this is that a biologically new human organism does come into being at fertilization.

Unfertilized eggs and spermato-zoa are indeed, both human and alive, but they are different in kind from an egg after it has been fertilized, which right from the start has acquired the full potentiality to grow into an adult man or woman, and will do so unless it dies or is destroyed. And none the less so for the fact that occasionally it may split into two genetically identical twins.

It may be for politicians and lawyers to argue about what stage in its later development, if at all, it would be convenient to allow any particular human "being" full rights to its life, but if we are looking objectively for the moment when the new human organism comes biologically into being, then that is at fertilization, and neither before nor after that time. Yours etc.

C. B. GOODHART. Gonville & Carus College, Cambridge. April 13.

Pound-wise

From Mrs I. O'Mahoney Sir, For how many minutes do I have to work to pay the Treasury official who calculates for how many minutes I have to work to pay for my milk?

Yours faithfully, INGRID O'MAHONEY, 20 The Dale. Wivenhoe, Essex. April 13.

COURT AND SOCIAL | The Authorized Version gets a facelift

The Queen will visit Redditch, Hereford and Worcester, to open the Kingfisher Shopping Centre on July 5.

The Duke of Gloucester will open Fitzwilliam Hospital, Peterborough, on May 12,

The Duke of Gioucester will open the Derngate Centre exhibition at the Information Technology Cen-tre, Northampton, on May 24. The Duchess of Gloucester will visit RAF Sealand, Clwyd, on May

Forthcoming marriages Mr M. Ashenbeim

and Miss H. Cross The engagement is announced between Michael son of Mr and Mrs Richard Ashenheim of Kingston, Jamaica, and Helen, daughte of Mr and Mrs Reginald Cross, of Battle, Sussex.

Mr.S. D. Rush and Miss S. J. Butterell

The engagement is announced between Simon David, son of Mrs Mary Bush, of St John's Wood, London, NW8, and the late Mr Arthur Bush, and Sarah Jane, daughter of Mr and Mrs Thomas Butterell, of The Old Bakery, Diss, Norfolk

Mr M. T. Cartmell and Miss J. E. Hommert The engagement is announced between Timothy, eldest son of Mr and Mrs G W Cartmell, of Lythia and Mrs G w Cartineu, or Lytnam and States. Lancashire, and Julia. The younger daughter of Commander and Mrs J. E. Hommert of Mr Glendale, Rowlands Castle, Hamof

Mr C. J. Cox and Miss F. J. Neeson

The engagement is announced between Christopher James, son of Dr and Mrs E. V. Cox. of Conygree, Woofhampton. Reading. Berkshire, and Flona Jane, younger daughter of Dr and Mrs C. P. Neeson, of The Clears House, Reigate, Surrey.

Marriages

M. R. P. Cabny

and Miss S.-A. Stone

The marriage took place on April 2 in Brussels between M. René Pierre Cabuy and Miss Sarah-Anne Stone.

Mr M. R. Gibbons and Miss P. S. Henett

between Michael, son of the late between Professor John A. Downey, Rev R. Gibbons and Mrs A. M. elder son of the late Mr J. Stuart Gibbons, of Great Glen, Leicester-Downey and Mrs Victoria Downey.

Dr R. D. L. Spring and Dr C. T. Whitfield

and Dr C. T. Whitfield
The engagement is announced between Robert, only son of Mr & Mr J. P. S. Riddell and Mrs P. A. Mrs D. Spring, of Hoopers Hill, Mylor, Cornwall, and Catherine The marriage took place on Tracy, eldest daughter of Mr & Mrs. Thursday, April 14, between Mr Peter Whitfield, of Rose Hill, Totland Bay, Isle of Wight.

Connecticut.

The marriage took place on Price Whitfield, of Rose Hill, Peter Riddell and Mrs Phyllida Pilley.

State for Defence, was the guest of honour at a luncheon given by the Foreign Press Association at 11 Carlton House Terrace yesterday. Mr Syed Mustafa, president, was in

Dinners

held in Edinburgh Castle.

was held on Thursday at the Angel presided.

Bryanston School

Bryanston School
Summer Term begins tomorrow.
Clare Stewart will be senior girl. The

from May 27 to 31. Parents' Weekend will be July 2 and 3, when the new home economics suite and computing centre will be opened.

Services tomorrow: Second Sunday after Easter

ST PAUL'S CATHEDRAL: HC. 8: M. 10.30. Jub. E. W. Naylor to A. flat. TD. Charles Steggall in B flat. Rev. Dr R. House: HC. 11.30. Misso Ariema & Grubti Munera. Hc. 11.30. Misso Ariema & Grubti Munera. Int. Christ our Passover is ascritized for on iSchepherdi: E. S. May and Nunc Dirattis. Charles Wood in E. A. My belowed spake (Paured). Canon Routledge. (Paured). Canon Routledge. 10.30. Wood in E. Haec, est dies Estandin, Rev. T. Bosson: HC. (spid). 1.40. E. Samolin, Rev. Luff; organ recital. 6.5: ES 6.30. Right Rev. Luff; organ recital. 6.5: ES 6.30. Right Rev. E. G. Khapp-Fisher. T Seeson.

Surridon in C Lactains sum to Co. Right Rev Luft; or an recital. 6.5: ES 6.30. Right Rev E G kinap Finher.

SOUTHWARK CATHEDRAL: HC. 9: Cathedral Eucharist, 11. Starford in C. A. R. Cathedral Eucharist, 11. Starford in C. A. R. Jesu the very thought of the (Bairefow). Cive peace of Lord cotainsons). Canno Co. Cathedral E. Purcell in 8 (lat. A: My beloved spake Purcell The Provost, Culterial E. Purcell The Provost, Culterial C. P. A. Rise, Heart, thy Lord is risen (Vaugham Williams), Von E. J. G Ward.

Williams), Von E. J. G Ward.

QUEEN'S CHAPEL OF THE SAVOY QUEEN'S CHAPEL OF THE SAVOY Quistic welcomed: Sumo Eucharist, 11.15. GRAY'S INN CHAPEL: M. 11.15. Canon GRAY'S RNN CHAPEL! M, 11.16, Canon James.

LINCOLN'S INN CHAPEL, Guidic Invited, ctury via Lincoln's inn Gataway:

MP and S. 11.30. A Blassed are they that divest in the bourse Graining. Down of Winds and Company of Market Towns of Company of Company of the Company of Compan Shepherd (Skinford). Rev LF (March) Organ voluciary,
97 CLEMENTS DANES (RAF Charch) (public velocated); HC 8.30 and 12.16; MP. 11. Rev W 2 of Payton. Stanford in 5 flat. Greater Love hath no manghan Court Charlest (No. 11. Hamphan Court Palace (public velocated); Hc. 8.30; M. 11.

Saturday. April 30, at 2 pm.

Birthdays

TODAY: Lord Aberconway, 70; Mr Kingsley Amis, 61; Sir Ove Arup, 88; Miss Joan Bakewell, 50; Mr J. E. Fawcett, 70; Lieutenant-General Sir John Glubb, 86; Sir Laurence Graffley-Smith, 91; Mr J. H. Harvey-Jones, 59; Sir Geoffrey Johnson Smith, MP, 59; Mr Spike The Duchess of Gloucester will Milliam, 65; Sir Albert Mumford, 80; Sir Walter Salomon, 77; Miss Constance Shacklock, 70; Sir The Queen of Denmark celebrates Ustinov, 62, TOMORROW: Mr Lindsav

A memorial service for Dr E. W. P. Anderson, 60; Mrs S. Bandaranaike. Noali, Consultant Physician to 67: the Earl of Birkenhead, 47; the Oueen Mary's, Plaistow and East Rev Professor L. E. Browne, 96; Ham Memorial hospitals, will be Miss Clare Francis, 37: the Right held at St John's church, Stratford, Rev M. H. Harland, 87; Sir Vincent E15, on Monday, April 18, 1983, at Wigglesworth, 84; the Right Rev J. 5.30 pm.

> The engagement is announced between Richard, younger son of Mr and Mrs E. A. J. Carter, of Shirley, Southampton, and Katherine, youn-ger daughter of Mr and Mrs A. J. Knight, of Niton, Isle of Wight.

Mr S. Kalamotusis and Miss G. Marcoa

Mr R. A. Carter and Miss K. L. Knight

The engagement is announced between Stekios, son of the late Mr P. B. Kalamotusis and of Mrs K. Kalamotusis, of London, and Gina, daughter of Mr and Mrs M. Marcou,

Mr W. M. Lang and Miss J. Crosse

The engagement is announced between William, son of Dr R. Muir Lang, of Paget, Bermuda, and Janet, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs R. Crosse, of Stoke Poges, Buckinghamshire.

Mr J. S. A. Slack and Miss P. A. Hanafish

The engagement is announced between John, only son of the late Mr S. A. Slack and of Mrs J. Slack, of Beckenham, Kent, and Puji Astuty (Tuty), daughter of Mr and Mrs Raden Nefa Hanafiah, of

Professor J. A. Downey and Miss J.

E. Piggott

and Miss P. S. Hewett

The marriage took place at Grace
The engagement is announced Church, New York, on April 8
between Michael. son of the late between Professor John A. Downey, Shire, and Penelope, daughter of Mr of Saskatoen, Saskatchewan, Canaand Mrs P. Hewett, of Knighton, da and Miss Janis Piggott, daughter
Leicester.

of Commander A. H. Piggott, of
Hambleden, Buckinghamshire and
the late Mrs Piggott. The couple will
reside in New York and Sharon,
Connecticut Connecticut

Service dinners

The Duke of Edinburgh's

were guests. Sixth Foot Dinner Club

Royal Regiment
The annual dinner of officers of The

Duke of Edinburgh's Royal Regi-ment (Berkshire and Wiltshire) was

heid at Wadham College, Oxford, last night. Major-General D. T. Crabtree, Colonel of the Regiment,

presided and Captain J. D. W. Husband, RN, Captain HMS Vernon, and Mr M. St J. Parker, Headmaster of Abingdon School,

The Sixth Foot Dinner Club held

Hotel, Cardiff. The Cardiff 2000

Luncheons

Award for the enhancement of the Foreign Press Association capital was presented to the St Womanby Street. 601 Squadron RAuxAF The annual reunion dinner of 601 Squadron Royal Auxiliary Air Force took place at the Royal Air Force Club last night. Among those present were Group Captain Harris, Inspector General, RAUXAF, and Squadron Leader R. N. Leyton. Flight Lieutenant E. Lanser

National Sporting Club
The chairman of the National
Sporting Club, Air Chief Marshal Sir Augustus Walker, accompanied by Lady Walker, presided at the annual ladies' night of the club at the Cafe Royal yesterday. Mr Neil Durden-Smith and Mrs Durden-Smith (Judith Chalmers) were the guests of honour. Members and guests attending included Colonel K. H. Osborne, Mrs R. Pearl, Mr and Mrs John Cope and Dr and Mrs

11M Government
The Hon George Younger, Scoretary of State for Scotland, was host last night at a dinner for editors of the Scottish Daily Newspaper Society

Cardiff 2000 their annual dinner at the Lord Leyeester Hospital, Warwick, yes-The annual dinner of Cardiff 2000 terday, Major-General J. C. Reilly

Moira House School conducted by the Bishop Summer Term begins on Monday. Sherborne, the Right Rev. Kirkham, April 18. The headmaster will run in the London Marathon tomorrow to raise funds for the new school hall.

Long leave will be from May 26 to 30 and term ends on July 9. The new school knight is Karen Priestland and her deputy is Alison Milne. The old girls reunion will be held at the school on April 30 Communication.

heid at the school on April 30. Open Day will be on July 2 and the guest speaker will be Mr R.Q. Drayson. Summer Term begins

Summer Term begins tomorrow, Sunday, April 17. Half-term will be

Bryd short service. Litany-Tallis in five parts: E. 3.30. Tallis fauxbourdons, A. in exitu israel (Samuel Wesley). Rev A Hoom. Metropolitan of Souroth (Russian Orthodox Church Uvorsett. Laudhuis in Sancis Glyrot E.
6.30, Rev R Salestine.
ST MRCHARL'S. Chester Square: HC.
8.16. Perish Commission. 11. Rev J A.
Mumford: E. 6.30, Rev E G H Saunders.
ST PALL S. Willow Piece, Knightsbridge.
HC, 8 and 9: Salesma Eucharist. 11. Jackson
in G. Rev D Tüller.
11. Architecton of London; 8.30, D Sunde.
11. Architecton of London; 8.30, D Sunde.

ALL HALLOWS BY THE TOWER: Stong Eucharda 11. The Vicar.

ALL SARNTS. Margaret Street: LM, 8
and 5.15. HM. 11. Rev J W Holden.
Bahrstow in D. Solema E. S and
Benediction, 6. The Vicar. Wood in D.
ALL SOULS, Lungham Place. Wi: 11.

CROSVENOR CHAPEL South Audiey
Dr A W Maries. Missa St. Johannis de Dev
Dr A W Maries. Missa St. Johannis de Dev
Dr A W Maries. Missa St. Johannis de Dev
Dr A W Maries. Missa St. Johannis de Dev
Dr A W Maries. Missa St. Johannis de Dev
Dr A W Maries. Missa St. Johannis de Dev
Dr A W Maries. Missa St. Johannis de Dev
Dragon M. 11. Rev J hvine ES. 6.30. Rev
Single, M. 11. Rev J hvine ES. 6.30. Rev
HOLY TRINGTY. Prince Consent Exact Millar HOLY TRINITY, Prince Consert Road: 2. 8.30 and 12.05; Cheral MP and S. 11. Rev M israel.

ST ALBAN'S. Holborn: SM, 9.30: HM.
11. Miss Bravis in D (Mozari). Worthy is
the Lamb (Handel). Rev D Shearet: LM.

ST COLUMBA'S (Church of Scotland).
Pont Street 11. Rev I A M Wright: 6.30.
Rev Dr J F McLunkey, Ordination of the
Rev I A M Wright.
CROWN COURT CHURCH (Church of
Scotland), Rossell Street. Covent Garden:
11.15. Rev E G Millan; 6.30, Rev G M
Wood. the Lamb (Handel). Rev D Shearet: LM.

S.J.O. BARTHOLOMEW-THE-ASHLA1 ProORY (AD 11.25): HC 9, 12.15 and 7.45; M.

11 T D, Tallis (five parts). A. Haec dies
(Byrd). Prebandary H Fearn: E. 6.30. Tallis
(Dorian). A. Christe Jesu, Paster Bone
Taverage?) The Restur. HC 8.30; Choral
M and Eucharia. 11. Prebandary D
MOTQUE: Ghoral M. H. C. 8.30; Choral
M and Eucharia. 11. Prebandary D
MOTQUE: Ghoral H. 6.30, Rev W Boulton
ST GEORGE 3 Manover Square: HC 8.30;
Stang Eurchisted. Drate to E. A Sing O
Hest-one Amment Induced to E Westminster.

ST MARTIN-IN-THE-FIELDS: Family C.

9.45 N Ingram-Britin: MS. 11.30. Rev C.
Hedisy; Cooral E. 4.15: ES. 6.30. The Vicar
CBC World Service broadcast. (BBC World Service broadcast): HC 3 and ST MARY AGEOTS. Kerchindrat: HC 3 and ST MARY AGEOTS. Kerchindrat: HC 3 and ST MARY Step State Endingles 9 20. The Four Mary State Sta

same time eliminating the archaisms, anachronistic expressions and obscurities that The success of this venture will need to be tested by time.

This gesture of confidence in hundred years. This is especially true for the New Testament. Since the Revised Version of 1881 most modern English translations of the New Testament based on the original language tend to follow a Greek completely different text from that underlying the translations

The Authorized Version of the lish translations, but also bewildering to the average man

reason that has had a discretion are seen to the facelist.

The new edition aims to prize the seed to preserve the dignity, music and spirituality characteristic of the spirituality character King James version while at the ly stamped on much English that the text on which the language and literature have Authorized Version was based until recently, the Roman and given it a unique role in is essentially reliable. worship and liturgy. Ever since As far as the New Testament that timelessness, numinous-Dean Burgon's often intemper- is concerned, that means that ness and permanence so relent-

deemed to be "relevant"; "contemporary" and "meaningtestament that represents a full underestimate the esteem that the faithful - and indeed

the Book of Common Prayer at ised Version. The story of the vised Authorized Version is public worship and to put in its adulteress, and the longer both a symptom of that urge for stead modern liturgies, and ending to Mark are also printed tradition and an attempt to efforts to replace well-loved (as in the Authorized Version) rehabilitate the version that hymn books with new hymnals as part of the original text.

the faithless also - place in of earlier centuries.

traditional aspects of church the 1980s as authentic works of the Revised Authorised services. The plethora of mod-scripture will be welcomed by The Holy Bible The Revised Version is therefore a reaction ern English versions of the Bible large numbers of Christians.

Authorized Version (British Edition, Contemporaneity of liturgical 1982, Bagster) £5.95.

An unknown work by Ingres, the most a copyist. It is one of a small group of

revered French academic painter of the subjects which so fascinated Ingres that he

returned to them again and again, painting

several versions with only small adjust-ments of the composition. The most famous

in 1817 and is now in the Louvre. The

National Gallery has another version and

there is a third, dated 1840, in the

Musée Ingres in Montauban. Derek Johns

of a river by the same artist £29,92 (estimate £12,000 to £15,000).

fierce competition from private collectors, although the doll eventu-ally was sold to a London dealer.

The sale also contained two doll'

the sale also contained two doll's dresses of about 1815. One in pink and white striped cotton, 15in from neck to bem, made £170 (estimate £120-£180), and the other, of rainbow striped silk with poff sleeves, measuring 16 in, made £120 (estimate £120-£180).

It is a fairly standard type of chair, with foliate carved mahognay

Sale room

Murillo painting of girl

sold for £378,000

By Geraldine Norman, Sale Room Correspondent

£300,000 and £400,000.

The young girl is painted half length, pecking sideways from under her veil. The white shirt she wears under a green lace bodice is slipping revealingly over a shoulder. It has been suggested that the painting was a pendant to the "Peasant Boy" now in the National Gallery. It has certainly been cut down at some time and has belonged to a series of distinguished.

na. Potential parchasers may have a local vendor, was upholstered in felt that theirs would be looked on red damask and in exceptionally as a variant or copy of the well good condition. Stair and Co, of known picture in that famous New York, were the underbidders.

suggested between

£300,000 and £400,000.

selonged to a series of distinguished

Another important picture in the sale was a Rubens from the famous

collection of the Earls of Pembroke

at Wilton House, near Salisbury, which failed to find a buyer and was bought in at £220,000. Christie's had been hoping for £300,000.

The picture depicts "The Infant Christ with the Infant Saint John the Bantist and Infant Saint John the Bantist and Infant Saint John

the Baptist and two Cherubs" and was a collaboration between Rubens and Frans Snyders. The quartet are

cuddling a lamb and eating grapes.

There is an almost identical

Kunsthistorisches Museum in Vien-

painted as chubby pink babies about £1,000.

nineteenth century, has been found in a

Swiss private collection, where it was

thought to be by an English artist, and only

a minor Victorian picture at that (Geraldine

Norman writes). The discovery of the mythological slaying (above) was made by

Derek Johns of Harari and Johns, the Bond

Street dealers, who are hoping to sell it for

more than \$1m, or £658,000. The previous

owners must have been unfamiliar with

Latest appointments

Latest appointments include:
Mr Ronald Jackson to be chairman
of traffic commissioners for the
West Midlands and Mr Jon

commissioners for the Western area. Mr Jackson will continue to be chairman of traffic commissioners for South Wales. Mr Crabtree

succeeds Major-General Sir John

Potter.
Major R. E. A. James to be Deputy
Chief Race Officer for the Royal

Mr Graham Entwistle to be director

of the London Association for the Blind in succession to Mr D. L.

Furniture Makers'

The following have been elected officers of the Furniture Makers' Company for the ensuing year. Master, Mr. J. A. Lawrence; Senior Warden, Mr. Morris Leigh; Junior Warden, Mr. D. B. Ercolani; Clerk, Mr. Garis Berben.

ST SIMON EDOTES, Chelses: HC, 8: MP 11: EP 6.30, Rev O R Clarke.
ST STEPHENS, Generator Road: LM. 8 and 9: HM. 1. Mism. Je ne manys point de port (Lasus). Prebendary H Moore: E and St. VEDAST, Fozor Laste SM. 11. Carrot firench-Reynagh.

Thames Yachi Club.

Company.

French painting because the picture is

obviously from Ingres's own brush or that of 1817.

vised Version the Authorized subsequent versions) are re-rized Version seems also to Version has had its defenders. stored to the text. Other longer fulfil that same need to That there should be a readings relegated to the foot- eliminate from the church the the continuing value of the resurgence of interest in the notes on the authority of recent language of journalism and the Authorized Version seeks to reverse the trends of the past surprising. Attempts to eclipse where they were in the Authorized. This is creatily the Pock of Common Positions.

text-critical grounds of many of those well-established and familiar verses, their restoration in

The Queen will open the first United Kingdom factory of Nippon Electric Company at Livingston on July 4.

A memorial service for the Earl of July 4.

A memorial service for Occar given by the Scottisk National Orchestra in Edinburgh on July 4.

The Queen will visit Redditch, Tavistock Place, WCI, on The Queen will visit Redditch, Saturday. April 30, at 2 pm.

The Authorized Version of the Bible is alive and well: it remains in the bestseller lists against the underlying text used in the pew. Hence there is a attract worshippers: in practice, against the underlying text used in the pew. Hence there is a dattract worshippers: in practice, however, many find updated by recent translations. Such hankering for the majestic and by recent translations. Such hankering for the majestic and treatment to reaction is not unexpected. The reassuring words of the Authorized Version. Another paradox is special place in the English—The recent updating of the duthorized Version is, however, many find updated version has a rized Version. Another paradox is special place in the English—The recent updating of the average man against the underlying text used in the pew. Hence there is a dattract worshippers: in practice, however, many find updated version is not unexpected. The reassuring words of the Authorized Version. Another paradox is special place in the English—The recent updating of the majestic and by recent translations, but also bewildering to the average man attract worshippers: in practice, however, many find updated version is not unexpected. The reassuring words of the Authorized Version.

A memorial service for Oscar to the Earl of Bible is alive and well: it remains in the bestseller lists after more than 350 years. Its remains in the bestseller lists after more than 350 years. Its remains in the bestseller lists are translations. But also bewildering to the pew. Hence there is a datact worshippers. In practice, however, many find the pew. Hence there is a datact worshippers. In practice, and the pew. Hence there is

The orthodox liturgies (and Anglican also) always reflect pressions and content the seventeenth. Dean Burgon's often intemper is concerned, that means that ness and permanence so recentury English from being at attacks in the last century on over 25 verses omitted from the lessy sought after. Veneration readily comprehensible today, attempts to promote the Re-Revised Version (and most for the language of the Authorized enlargement versions) are re-rized Version seems also to

many Christians consider to be

Department of Theology, Leeds University

Fresh view on fall of empire

By Philip Howard

That world earthquake, the fall of the Roman Empire, continues to exercise the thinking classes. Gibbon gave 15 principal reasons for the decline and fall, and most of them were partly true.

At the annual meeting of the about the past.

Professor Liebeschuetz's title was

been wrong. In local studies, for example, we have made fruitful advance by combining all the evidence, literary, epigraphic and archaeological.
In other matters we are more

interested in the influence of such unmeasurable things as ideas, custom, beliefs and ritual. Maybe version of "Roger et Angelica" was commissioned by Louis XVIII for Versailles the late empire, having been unconscionably warlike for three centuries, turned against militarism, as Western Europe has turned in

Historians do make progress, step v sten, even in fields where their by step, even in fields w evidence is necessarily limited.



A recent photograph of Princess Alexandra by Norman Parkinson to mark her visit to the United States. She and Mr Angus Ogilvy leave today. They are to attend the dedication of the Ditchley Bells in Washington.

Latest wills

Sir George Ernest Schustes, of Middle Barton Oxfordshire, National Liberal MP for Walsall 1938-45, who died last year aged. 101, left £289,342 net. version of the picture in the arms, carved front, siderails and Other estates include (not, before

fluted cabriole legs. The chair from tax paid: tax paid:

Essex
Dr Anthony Frank Shorrocks, reader in economics at the London School of Economics, and Dr Sanjiv Madhwarao Ravi Kanbur, fellow and director of studies in economics in economics at Clare College, Cambridge, to be professors in economics

Hull
The following honorary degrees will be conferred on June 2:

MAL Miss Mary Nost Bester. Inschor and School of Economics and Dr Sanjiv Chefron Convention Company Company Conferred Control of Company Conferred Conferred on Company Conferred Co

However justifiable may be the one and only Bible. the absence from the Bible on J. K. Elliott

But do we make progress, or is ancient history in such a popular field merely recycling antique Roman cliches and shadow boxing

Classical Association at Nottingham University yesterday Professor J. H. W. G. Liebeschuetz, of Nottingham University, argued that each generation has to write history from its own point of view, interests, and discoveries. As in the Odyssey, Tiresias has to drink blood of the present before he is able to speak

"A. H. M. Jones and the Fall of the Roman Empire". He was not suggesting that he had discovered a previously unsuspected reason, and that the late and great Professor Jones was personally responsible for the decline and fall.

His huse social, economic and administrative survey of the later Roman Empire, published 20 years ago, might have been considered the last word needed on that subject iast word needed on that staged until the crack of doom. It was a sort of Beveridge report on the state of the Roman Empire, and its impact on Roman historiography was like the arrival of a steel plant in a region previously given over to light industry.

gued with piety that Jones cannot, by definition, be the last view of the great question. In some matters, such as the suggestion that the empire declined because of depopulation, he has been shown to have

this century.

At a Phillips sale in Oxford a four-square George II upholstered library chair was bought by Hart, a London dealer, for £6,930 when the Save the Children Fund.

Sir George Ernest Sale

OBITUARY

Company of the grant

MISS ELISABETH LUTYENS Composer of wide flexibility

Miss Elisabeth Lutyens CBE most personal music was to be (Mrs Edward Clarke) who has found, and an opera produced died aged 74, was one of the first and most important English composers to adopt serial Chance its virtuoso assemblage technique desiring them in of literary quotations and music products. techniques, deriving them in of literary quotations and puns particular from the example of was matched in music that Webern. Through many diffi- included pop, pre-recorded culties and much neglect, she tape, dance sequences and won acceptance for an art that spoken passages. never made any intellectual

media, concert, opera, radio compose choral and orchestral works. play and even horror film. Born in 1906, a daugher of

her true idiom lay in serial music. Discarding thereupon some 50 early works with typical decisiveness, she began de-veloping her mature style. She String Quartet; and already in

cycle of string chamber works. This she followed with an impressive cycle of six chamber concertos (1939-45). During the war she wrote a wide variety of pieces to a 'Bustle for WAAFS'; and this prolific output con-tinued unabated during the

post-war years.

Her works included over 200 radio scores, in collaboration with, among others 7 with, among others, Lous She was twice married, firstly MacNeice and Dylan Thomas, in 1933 to lan Herbert Cam-

A lyric drama of 1969, Isis compromises but that was and Osiris was first produced in remarkably flexible to different 1976 and she had continued to

Though an immensely pro-Sir Edwin Lutyens, she studied fessional composer, able to turn the viola and composition at her hand to these and many the Royal College of Music and Other unusual musical tasks, she at the Paris Conservatoire. She was at her most characteristic first made her mark as a composer of music in late composer of music in late Romantic style, proceeding rapidly through an Expression-ist phase to a realization that her tops idiom lay in serial

Her long struggle for accept-ance and her ruthless indepen-dence of mind gave her a somewhat formidable aspect on first acquaintance, both musihad an early success at the 1939
Warsaw ISCM Festival with a in her a passion for artistic the train on the way home she was hard at work on a String Trio that was to form part of a communication to a passion for artistic order and personal standards, expressed with learning and wit.

Troubled by the difficulty of communication to a passion for artistic order and personal standards, expressed with learning and wit. communicating 'in an age when so many have heard and so few listened', she declared that she tried to be accurate to one's thought and one's ear', without works, from serious orchestral compromising or talking down which she deplored as 'inadmissible human behaviour'.

many chamber and concert pbell Glennie. This marriage works, including a horn concerto for Dennis Brain, an important number of choral Clark, the conductor. He died in works, in which some of her 1962.

Joe's unusual accent, soft and

mystiffying to those unaware of

McDowell had studied medi-

In 1940 he moved to Paris.

but his work there on automatic

Servotec Ltd. - pioneered the

MR J. B. PENNYBACKER

Mr Joseph Buford Penny- the Greek government he backer, CBE, Director of the received in 1966 the Cross of Department of Neurological the Royal Order of George I Surgery at the Radcliffe Infirm- and, in the following year, he ary, Oxford, from 1954 to 1971, was created CBE in the nation died on March 27 at Tighnab- of his adoption. ruaich, Argyil, at the age of 75. Mr John Potter writes:

For more than 30 years Joe its origins, was a legacy - as Pennybacker was an outstanding figure at the Radcliffe good citizenship - of a KenInfirmary, where patients, colleagues and pupils could count defied hard times. As a young on his services at any hour of man in Danville, with its the day or night - services monument to the pioneer which included extraordinary surgeon. Ephraim McDowell, diagnostic skill, fine judgment, he was inspired by the example and surgical dexterity of the of that great man, who in 1819 highest order. He had been had criticized "mechanical chosen by the first Nuffield surgeons" who "cut and tear professor of surgery at Oxford, with fearless indifference". Hugh Cairns, to come as his first assistant from the London cine in Edinburgh and Penny-Hospital in 1937, and after backer determined to follow in Cairns's early death in 1952, his footsteps. This he did, and Pennybacker directed the next after hard times there too as a monograph described in 1952. Hugh Cairns, to come as his

ity found a complementary except for short visits outlet in the Society of British. For 40 years his i Neurological Surgeons of which England, but for the last 11 of he was successively treasurer his life it was in the beauty and and secretary, and foreign tranquillity of the first country national distinction; with the He is survived by the son of his award of honorary of corre-sponding memberships. From Dean who died in 1980.

rosurgical departmennt until his student, he graduated in 1930; retirement in 1971.

His dedication to his special did not return to America. societies recognized his inter- of his adoption in these Isles.

MR J. S. SHAPIRO

Mr Jacob Samuel Shapiro, a British-owned Palestine Electric leading designer and consultant Corporation to work, among to the aviation and engineering other projects, on their thermal industries, where he was better known as Yasha Shapiro, died in London on April 13, aged 71.

A popular figure among his pilot and gyroscopic instru-professional colleagues, and ments was cut short by the Nazi admired for his wit, intellectual invasion. Escaping to Britain, powers and unflagging appli-cation to his work, he came to war effort in aeronautics and Britain from Palestine by way of acquired British nationality in wartime France, and joined the 1948, while serving for eight team of "boffins" working on years as chief technical officer the secret jet-engine project of the Cierva Autogiro com-pioneered by Sir Frank Whittle. pany. His own company Most of his life as a design and development engineer was co-axial contrarotating helicop-devoted to helicopter advance-ter. ment for which he won the Bréguet Trophy in 1978. He was a Fellow of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers and of the Royal Aeronautical Society. Born in Bialystok, Poland, on November 3, 1911, of Zionist parents who settled in Palestine in the early 1920's Shapiro was educated in Berlin and Zurich. where he took a degree in mechanical engineering, as well as studying aeronautics and theoretical physics. His first job was in an iron-foundry in Haifa,

His work as a consultant to British and foreign companies and institutions, such as the Laing Institution in West Germany and the Boeing Vertol and Sikorsky and Bell helicopters, led to an interest in the harnessing of wind power and other innovations, such as new projects in security and surveillance electronics and - most recently - in "fish culture", for assisting the fishing industry by methods similar to those used in modern automated poultry. but in 1936 he joined the breeding.

MR GEOFFREY MORLEY

Times at Westminster from 1947 to 1961, who has died at the age of 77, had a long and distinguished association with at the Commons with the The Times and politics, begin-parliamentary staff for whom The Times and politics, begin-ning in October 1937, when he became one of the newspaper's parliamentary reporters, and cuding when he retired early because of ill health. Morley was a quiet, friendly,

indeed charming man, whose personality reflected itself in the accurate vet vivid descriptions of the at times turbulent politics of the Commons and the Lords, which it fell to him to record. Day and night, he caught the

dramas of the post-war Labour government, the elequence of Churchill, the parliamentary grandeur of Harold Macmillan, the uproar of the Suez crisis Grace, Mrs Alice Breakel, of Garstang Lancashire £214,270 HIII, Mr Reginald Amelific of Worthing timber merchant £335,363 the uproar of the Suez crisis in 1956. His parliamentary sketches, which he began in 1947, had the dual task not only of Accidents, Department of Trade and Industry, 1968-73 £273,552 Pragbaume, Mr Richard Charles, of Little Missenden £203,866 Softness, Mr Jack, of Ealing London £248,614 Church faithfully, His hol of the day were actually saying.

Mr Geoffrey Morley, parlia-mentary correspondent of *The*His conscientiousness knew no bounds.

When in 1961, Morley ceased to be sketch writer, he decided to remain in The Times Room his reporting was just as meticulous as his sketch writing.

The affection of his colleagues was acknowledged by them in 1955, when they chose him to be chairman of the press

John Geoffrey Nicholson Morley was born at Retford, Nottinghamshire, on April 17. 1905, and attended King Edward VI School, Grantham He was a reporter successively on the Grantham Journal, Clacton Times, Oxford Chronicle, Northern Echo and the Press Association before joining The Times. His years at Westminster were only broken from 1941 to 1945, when he was with the foreign sub-editors.

A devout man, he served his: church faithfully. His hobby was painting. He leaves 8



مِكَدُا مِن رِلامِل

THE ARTS

Radio Morning glories

"What will happen to radio "stings", and on this evidence when breakfast televison comes you would conclude that Today along?" went the cry before is in deep trouble. In fact the January 17 when Breakfast offending material occupies Time first went on the air, perliaps two minutes out of the Would the nation forsake early daily 150 and the remainder is morning sound and devote as good as it has ever been itself to moving pictures across (Incidentally, I cannot help the muesil with the same thinking that this kind of overassiduity as later in the day it reaction on the part of Radio 4 attends to Coronation Street? listeners can do nothing to Would the eyes have it? In the persuade the BBC to take them event, the answer has been seriously when it comes, as it 'no", or even, in the case of one has and will again, to discussing of the two new options, "not on such greater matters as the your life", and really no one can future of the network.) be much surprised getting up, preparing breakfast and attending to the business of the day are not, at least in my family, processes which lend them-

But obviously they exist in some numbers, these households where the matriarch can boil an egg win one eye and take in Frank Bough with the other. What was she doing before she Parliament has at once gained acquired this schizoptic skill? coherence and reduced the risk Who, if anyone, has lost her of switching off by its inclusion

As usual in such matters decisive answers do not seem to be on offer, but it is said that of has the huge advantage over-the new viewers half were not any of the competition of the previously listening to anything great Timpson/Redhead double and the other half to Radio 2 act. Without wishing to underand a local radio station value Peter Hobday, who is Certainly the flagship of the sounding more and more at radio morning sequences, the ease as the latest third presenter. Today programme, reports little I must say that the programme's more than a flicker in its joility, style, wit and many tivity in the speakers.

audience – and that in the early other appetizing qualities are at their best on the three mornings although by mid-March it was each week when his two longslightly down. However it serving colleagues are in tan-seems fairly certain that here at dem. Each sparks the other off, least, where it would have been, each sounds immensely intermost worrying, the new compe- ested in what he is doing and

I claim to be the natural gross carly mornings, but it must also loss: so we may wonder have a strong connexion with nervously what will happen to the present buoyancy of the *Today* if Timpson and/or Today programme as a whole Redhead should get fed up and under its editor of the last 18 withdraw. Such talents are not months, Julian Holland.

followers of Feedback (Radio 4, bears witness. In the meantime, Sundays and Tuesdays) will be perhaps we should appreciate well aware, Mr Holland is at them and their works and listeners offended at his intro- morning music. duction of the Dankworth signature tune and associated

If Today is in good form, this is the more marked because, if my memory serves me, two years ago it had become processes which lend themselves even to a casual communion with the televison set—
and I have a job imagining the
households in which they
might.

distinctly limp, a routine presentation job by whoever happened to be on that day's duty.
There is nothing routine about
it now it covers an immeaster
tange of subject matter besets. range of subject matter, briskly but without any sense of pseudo-urgency, some by means of outside reports, some by live interview. Whatever MPs may think, the broadcasting of coherence and reduced the risk in the body of the programme.

And then, of course, Today ition has made virtually no possesses that rare ability in a inroads.

That this has happened may have something to do with what

It is part of the attraction of unsuitability of television to the any good thing that one fears its onths, Julian Holland. casily replaceable - as the roll Did I say buoyancy? As call of past Today presenters present receiving a good deal of foreswear our miserable moanflak from an apparent army of ing over such a very little

David Wade

Interview

Throwing the West End a lifeline from the **Provinces**

It was David Gilmore who saw The Nuffield is a somewhat the potential of the improbable hybrid theatre financed by the project of staging Datsy Pulls it university, the city, the county Off Denise Deegan's version of and the regional arts associan Angela Brazil novel, which ation. That variety of payopens at the Globe on Monday masters and its position on a The script was among the university campus means that dozens with which he is deluged he has had to work at a highly as Artistic Director of Sou-varied repertoire. thampton's Nuffield Theatre. Gilmore started in theatre as thampton's Nuffield Theatre. Gilmore started in theatre as One day he decided to have a a result of General Studies - the involves rejecting virtually all attempt to create renaissance the earnestly constructed plays men. He was all set to sindy - and he came across Daisy.

"I could tell immediately - I knew before I'd finished it that I of something entirely different. was going to do it. It was the He took some casual labour at style - a mixture of absolute the rep in Cheltenham and sincerity with a heightened never looked back For 10 years playing style which could allow he acted in various reps until it you to have the audience dawned on him that something laughing at the corniness of it was not quite right. on one hand then wiping away a "What I discovered was that I tear with the other. The was not getting the buzz out of tightrope down the middle is actually going on the stage every sincerity, and fidelity to that night I realized that when I saw genre of schoolgirl novels. You actors who were really existing:

the London managements that Royal, Lincoln, and the Waterthe Nuffield was alive and mill Newbury, to the Nuffield. capable. It was the national And that, for the time being, critical response to the original seems to be where he stays. Southampton production of Daisy that brought down the impresarios, and it was Andrew Lloyd Webber who was quickest

show as it is. So often the finding good new, exerting plays provincial company, which - I don't know whether that takes the risks initially by doing would lead me into subsidized. the show, loses when it comes companies or the commercial to London. Not because they're world. I like the demands of the not good enough but because commercial theatre. people think they can make a situation is changing. Another Daisy has a slightly puzzling sir Country and the Dario Fo plays as far as the critics are give the lie to the idea that you concerned. ... must have a name to have a successful West End show."

seems to be in the process of wins through. That's all you're reviving the West End stage off supposed to feel but the critical its own bat. A few doors away tend to need more than that from Daisy there are Another they're looking for a social tag Country from Greenwich and or a political tag or whatever. productions from Liverpool Playhouse and the Paisce Theatre, Warford His own part in the revival stems from the in the revival stems from the Christopher Warman writes on policy he has evolved in his the hackground to Daisy Pulls It three years at Southampton. Off in Page 5 of Saunday.



Some failures of sensitivity

Theatre

A Midsummer Night's Dream

Lyttelton

One bulliant idea distinguishes Bill Bryden's Dream, newly transferred from the Cottesloe's fluid seating arrangements to the Lyttelton's pros-arch stage. As against the Edwardian dress of the Athenians - yes, collars and coffs in this play again - the airies and their monarchs inhabit a different world in time wearing Elizabethan ruffs and doublets of a ghostly greenish grey and dancing weir-dly beautiful pavanes.

Shock-headed and hollow-eyed, they seem to carry with them ages of knowledge, and suffering too perhaps, which shame the moderns ephemeral passions. None more so than lack Shepherd's Puck, clearly modelled on the loony who eats flies in Dracula. All his comic resource and agility gets a showing as he dashes about the stage contriving echoes to his own cries, improvizing a forestful of birds with a single pipe and doing deadly imitations of the two principal boys.

For the rest, much of the casting (the lovers especially) is very indifferent and, as in many productions, the dialogue's delicate suspension of poetry, fancy and absurdity ruthlessly reveals every failure of sensisurvived the last Stratford/Bar-bican production by the RSC, but that is little cause for congratulation.

Robert Stephens, who has replaced Paul Scofield as Oberon, fits smoothly into the production as a voluptuous, mischievous grandee, and Susan Fleetwood's gloriously sensuous Titania is as electric a counterpart to him as Beatrice

The red autumnal leaves with which the stage is strewn are her favourite playthings, turning into a shower of rose petals to scatter over the enchanting ass's snout that the props department has made for Bottom (Derek

The mechanicals, in fact, are anything but rude; bowler-hat-ted and in Sunday best, they know their place, making the musicians' opening music-hall song (the one that says you can see the 'Ackney marshes if it wasn't for the anses in between) seem the irrelevance it is, but then productions of this play do often turn into a ragbag of assorted funnies.

Mr Newark does all the usual Pyramus business with his wooden sword; he and the wooden sword; he and the irrepressible Tony Haygarth (who, one Saout by name, presents the Wall) get a fine double act going, but it does not last. It was good of Puck to say that "if you pardon, we will mead", but I could not honestly tall him when the start. tell him where to start.

Anthony Masters



Concerts -

LSO/Previn Festival Hall

When Prokofiev first went to America in 1918, he reported tongue-in-cheek that his music was likened to "Mendelssohn with wrong notes". The comment was hardly sympathetic to either composer, particularly since it must have referred to Prokofiev's early, exploratory and acerbic piano works, as far removed from Mendelssohn as you can imagine. But his selfeffacement and self-mocking were such that he would probably have taken great delight in having his supposed relationship to Mendelssohn put to the test by Thursday's programme: excerpts from his ballet Cinderella coupled with

Mendelssohn's Violin Concerto. in the event, of course, there was much more to contrast than there was to compare, not only in the music itself but also the the performances. Previn and the LSO responded with great warmth to Prokofiev's lyrical and magical love music, notably waltz for Cinderella herself and in the two concluding items from Act 3, the tentative slow waltz and the final sumptuous

We had about a quarter of the complete ballet (15 numbers out show Previn's sure judgment of mood, a fine control of Proko- Queen Elizabeth Hall fiev's biting rhythms, and some marvellous mixings of orches-

trai colours. Prokofiev's score rarely fails to sparkle and scintillate and, though it perhaps lacks the dramatic strength of the slightly earlier Romeo and Julies, Previn showed it to be, even in this rather odd arrangement of numbers, a work of emotional force and wit. And the percussion thwacks in the "Mid-night" movement, indicating that Cinderella's time is up, were done with tremendous power, and chilling figuration on the strings.

Next to this the Mendelssohn sounded somewhat bloodless. Perhaps the orchestra was inhibited by Yuzuko Horigome's fragile tone, but the accompaniment was graced with little variety of dynamics and few expressive numces. Miss Horigome plays with

poise and elegance, and in the slow movement managed to inject into her double octaves a sense of tension and tonal perhaps at a speed slightly too quick for comfort, she tended to snatch at phrases and rob the music of its broad sweep.

Geoffrey Norris

of 50), but that was sufficient to Marc Raubenheimer sense of existing out of necessity

Marc Raubenheimer, the young South African pianist who made his London debut in 1978 and has been scooping up prizes from international competitions before and since the event, remains something of a puzzking musician. The dichotomy within his virtuosity showed itself at the South Bank on Thursday in readings of Haydn and Chopin which ranged from the uneven to the aimless, and performances of Dutilleux and Prokofiev that were vivid and compelling in both imagination and execution.

His technique, fluent, wideranging and strongly integrated, can be taken as read. The discrepancies in performance seem to be the result of a musical sensibility which is formed first from the very closeness of his relationship to the piano and its acoustic properties; rather than from a sturdily nurtured interpretative intelligence which is then

His Haydn C minor sonata (Hob XVI 20), for example, was a compendium of admirably calculated and executed pianistic ideas. They were often beautiful to observe as they passed, one by one, but lacked a

and as part of a broader

character, even its structural strong arms. The piquant Prokofiev's Sarcasms, too, were perfectly suited to Mr

Raubenheimer's talents. Their irony, anger and audacity were drummed out with dynamic timing and a telling breadth of tone of voice even at fortissimo. And so to the Chopin B minor sonata. Despite a compelling slow movement and primarily of sound (however minutely varied) and fury with the inevitable result. Mr Raubenheimer's own consider-able repertoire of technical repertoire of each composer's particular language, in order that his performances be substantiated by adequate in-

Television

Powerful parable

at a London further education globe, was such as to leave one college invited me to eavesdrop stunned, as though, after assiston a rehearsal for a student ing at an inconceivable atrocity. production of that hardy annual Any more explicit than it was The Insect Play. The general under Donald McWhinnie's standard of acting was no higher subtle direction, and the than you would expect (most of spectacle would have been the adolescent actors would not obscene; any longer and the even make it to drama school). tension would have been But the occasion was electric unbearable. It may have been a because of the boy in the central mere short story shot in a role: a certain Timothy Spall studio, but it was drama of a

There was nothing mediocre about last night's production of the BBC's current dramatic Guests of the Nation (BBC 1), output. Frank O'Connor's story in a searing adaptation by Maurice Leitch, but here Spall's function was exactly the same: he bound things together with a magnet-ism which considering the banal predictability of his part, was little short of extraordinary.

Two English soldiers were taken captive in a remote village by Irish freedom fighters (class of 1920, many rungs higher on the evolutionary ladder than the Provos of today). As time passed the captives (notably the earthy and cynical prisoner played by Spall) turned their nervous, careworn captors into old friends, and then the secret message came: first that the Englishment were hostages, then that as a reprisal, they

characterization was straight- recent events in Bermondsey? forward, the dialogue terse. But Almost certainly not. the power of this 50-minute parable, applicable at all times

kind which shows up the bulk of

Last week The London Programme (LWT) offered an unpleasant but salutary glimp through the windows of a VD clinic. This week it went on a light-hearted tour of local politics in the People's Republic of Islington. As a citizen of that republic I can vouch for the accuracy of its reflection of the views of the populace. Isling-ton's Labour rulers blame the "Tory press" for the contempt in which they are now held by their subjects: they are one-third right and, as this intelligent programme showed, two-thirds

The root of the trouble, as everybody said, lies in the councillors' ranting, humourless unanimity. Their commendable new housing policies and their environmental imaginative must be shot.

There was nothing mystericities about the script: the this lot capable of learning from

Michael Church

WEEKEND CHOICE

Either by happy coincidence or from the year dot. It gets off to a The Dutilieux sonata, on the through inter-channel rivalry, breathtakingly audacious start other hand, seemed to find its both BBCl and Channel 4 by flashing backwards through launch an A-to-Z type musical time (like the whirling metrosense, from Mr Raubenheimer's series tomorrow night. Fortu-sensitivity to a wide spectrum nately, domestic discord has electronic Ligeti to blasts from a of tone and texture, brought to been avoided by scheduling hom found at Pompeii. And, as life and made hicid through them at different times. Com- well as the sound of music, it remarkably supple fingers and pared to Channel 4's Music in explores the music of sound: Time (7.15pm), which will run from baby's first cry to the harmonic flavouring of the for 16 weeks and consume ecstatic apogee of American hot second movement's developing about 800 minutes of screen gospel song. Sadly, episode one material was delicately and time, the BBC's Orchestra degenerates into a protracted confidently drawn out.

(10.55pm) will span a mere six trailer for the 15 episodes still to weeks and gobble up 180 come minutes. Judging by the first Radio highlights: Radio 3's episode of each series, the Spanish Month continues to duplication of effort will be minimal.

Victor Poole's films for the BBC, briskly fronted by Jane Glover, who not only explains things but waves the baton and also conducts from the harpsipowerful finale, it tended to be chord, have a comparatively played as if it consisted modest brief to chart the modest brieft to chart the evolution of the modern symphony orchestra. Episode one begins with wintry waits war-med by an Oxford brazier and ends with Monteverdi's Tancremeans and acoustic perception di and Clorinda, cosily performed indoors in Surrey's Clandon Park.

tacular and wider-ranging noth- and Arriaga. ing less than the history and Hilary Finch development of western music

delight and excite. Complementing last Sunday's epic reworking of Don Quixote by John Arden, there is Robin Chapman's The Duchess's Diary (tomorrow, 7.30pm), a monologue in which a noblewoman, unbalanced by what she believes to be an ast of appalling betrayal by Cervantes, her one-time confident and idol, embarks on a voyage through choppy seas. Maureen in a role any actress would give her eye-teeth to play Music of Spain (today, 2.00om) offers three hours of marvellous Derek Bailey's Channel 4 colour from the pens of, inter series is altogether more spec- alia, Granados, Albeniz, Falla

Peter Davalle

Dance

Hippodrome, Birmingham

ballet

blitz - 2 process which subject with which schools psychology until a master suggested be acquire experience

David Gilmore: "Play

don't have to send it up, you the greatest thing in their lives just play it to the hilt."

This is Gilmtore's second front of 500 or a thousand that I don't set that I assault on the West End, people, I didn't get that, I following Nuts, which brought actually enjoyed the rehearsals in more critical acclaim than best." So he moved into money but did at least signal to directing and, via the Theatre

be time to look around, but at the moment I'm very happy. "His was the one manage the moment I'm very happy."
What I want to do is to keep ment to say: 'We'll take this finding and have a delined to the say. - I don't know whether that

Those demands now include more attractive package for West End opening nerves on London. Fortunately the evi-Monday. Though well received dence seems to be that the at the Nuffield, it is clear that

The central girl is truthful and honest and tries hard while Indeed, as Gilmore points meeting obstacles all the way out the provincial theatre along the line, But finally she

Brvan Appleyard

Boldness rewarded

The king must die we know that, so there is no surprise in the ending of Jonathan Burrows's new work for Sadler's Wells Royal Ballet, yet he retains tension and interest. The means he uses are so diverse that the unity of the piece is remarkable, so is the excitement he distils from a mixture of old myth, the tradition of the mummers' plays, English folk

The Winter Play is mainly for male dancers, the women are little more than bait and decoration, and the scenes with

and popular dances and straight

what happens before and after. Burrows has been bold but justified in casting David Yow, in his first professional season, as the new leader. His challenge to Carl Myers, the old leader, begins with highly competitive solos, goes on to an unusually realistic danced fight, and reaches the ritual killing as climax of a masked swore

. Yow survives with stamina to celebrate his victory in properly cheerful style before showing that he can match Myers's earlier alarm and desperate defence when Nicholas Ringham in turn establishes himself as the confident next

An extraordinary perform ance provides an unexpected interlude. After the old king's death, David Bintley emerges climbing a ladder from the orcestra pit. Dressed in black, with high hat and a big black bag, he is perhaps a physician unfrocked for inebriety. His tap dance around and over the corpse seems to confirm a comic intent, but not for nothing does he somewhat resemble a voodoo god: horror joins farce when he transfers the old leader's spirit to his SUCCESSOR

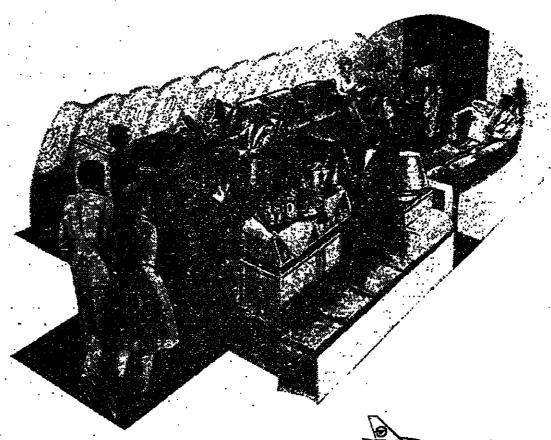
It is gratifying to see Burrows inality were never in doubt, find a strong and theatrical use for his gifts. Rewarding, too, that the Royal Ballet School's folkdancing classes at last find a real purpose on stage. That early grounding must help expain the quiet authority of all the men's performances.

Burrows and his co-produces Ronald Smedley are strongly supported by the score, partly original, partly arranged from folk and popular melodies, by Dudley Simpson. His early experience as a ballet conductor before becoming a successful television composer (Dr Who among other credits) serves him in good stead.

Ian Spurling's clothes for the men ingeniously combine tra-dition and present times, the women's are merely odd, but Spurling's curtains depicting a ee god have a sly menace.

John Percival

Welcome to Cameroon, with **Cameroon Airlines**



In Cameroon, hospitality is a tradition.
For us at Cameroon Alrines, "Welcome on Board" are not just

Everything is done for you to make sure you will enjoy your flight, Besides, we are the only Airline offering our first class passengers between Cameroon and Europe the unbeatable comfort of our luxurious upper deck lourge.
The undisputed comfort of the 747, in addition to the kind and

careful attention of our cabin crews are your guarantee of an even more pleasant flight.

BOEING 747 Paris Oriy-Sud a monday, thursday, satur phone, 742 78,17

Geneva i monday phone 361600/983243 BOEING 701

CAMEROON &

1982/83 High Low Stock

SHORTS

BRITISH FUNDS

194-, 1983 197-, 1983 197-, 1984 147-, 1984 147-, 1984 157-, 1985 137-, 1985 137-, 1985 137-, 1985 137-, 1986 137-, 1986 137-, 1986 137-, 1986 137-, 1986 137-, 1987 137-, 1987 137-, 1987 137-, 1987 137-, 1987 137-, 1987 137-, 1987 137-, 1987 137-, 1987 1987-, 1987 1987-, 1987 1987-, 1987 1987-, 1987 1987-, 1987-

COMMONWEALTH AND FOREIGN

34: 1920 25 5:44 82-84 93; 5:74 85-87 814 6:45 85-91 80; 6:47 90-92 784 13:54 963 1054 744 83-84 94; 749 91-93 75 6:48 35-90 74 er B 34-93 34

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL

AAR 92
AB Electronics 625
AE PLC 314
AGB Research 317
AMEC Grp 257
APV Ridgs 381
AAR MARC GROW A' 19
Advance Serv 73
Advest Group 244
Actom 1 & Gen. 246
AR CAI 197
Advest Group 244
Actom 1 & Gen. 246
AR CAI 197
Advest Group 247
Actom 1 & Gen. 246
AR CAI 197
Angila TV 4 126
Angila Anter Ind 5184
Aquiscellum A' 35
Argil Foods 129
ASS Belt Food 172
ASS Pisheries 70
ASS Pisheries 7

7.4.4.00 12.0.9 15.2.7 15.0.9 15.2.7 15.0.9 15.2.7 15.0.9 15.2.7 15.0.9 15.2.7

er B 34-03 34 8.912 11.606 74-82-84 96 7.295 11.000 64-9-83-86 874 7.12 434 15-489

Aus!
Aus!
E Africa
Rungary
Ireland
Japan
N Z
N Z
Peru
S Rhd
Spanish
Uruguay
Zunbaba

LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Int. Grow only Red. Price Ch'ge Yield Yield

MARKET REPORT • by Michael Clark

RECENT ISSUES RECENT ISSUES

Airstip Industries 25p Ord (140a)
Associated British Ports 25p Ord (112)
Baltic Leasing 5p Ord (100a)
Bensous Criport (a)
Booth C. 5p Ord (180)
Gräniger Trust 25p Ord (180)
Gräniger Trust 25p Ord (18)
H B Electionist 10p Ord (38a)
Intervision Video Hidgs 10p Ord (a)
Micropen Holdings 10p Ord (190a)
Micropen Holdings 10p Ord (190a)
Sinchair W. 25p Ord (100a)
Superdrug 10p Ord (175)
Television Services Int 10p Ord (10-a)
Tons Estates 10p Ord (10-a)
United Packatong 10p Ord (172a)
Wight Collins R Scott 10p Frd (150a)
Issue price on parentherer a Unisted Ser

What a week it has been for Rugby Portland Cement where the shares jumped a further 9p to a new high of 116p yesterday. On Tuesday the group an-nounced a surge in pretax profits for the full year from £18.6m to £23.5m - and just to by

shares done outside the market The Morgan Credit consortium at around the 119p level. Mr has raised its bid for ACE Trust Robert Holmes a Court's Bell from 133'rp to 138p following Group, holds around 5 per cent the collapse of Arbuthnot

Cable & Wireless 408
Cadbury Sch 115
Calfyns 138
C'bread R'by Ord 130
Cambridge Elec 230
Can O'scas Pack 310
Capper Neili 25
Laravans Int 4
Carche Eng 72
Cartion Cum 238
Carpus Int 534
Carpus 111
Carche Eng 72
Cartion Cum 238
Carpus 111

Carrels int 53, Carr 1, 10mm 163, Carr 1, 10mm 164, Carr 1, 10mm 1

FMC 48
Pairriew Est 120
Pairriew Est 120
Parmer S.W. 142
Feener J. 142
Feener J. 141
Feener J. 141
Fernan Ind 144
Fernan Ind 154
Finist Ind 154
Finist Ind 154
Finist Ind 155
Finist Lovell 123
Finist Lovell 123
Finist Lovell 123
Finist Hidgs 77
Filght Refuel 282
Fogarty E. 38
Ford Mit BDR 144
Forminster 174
Forminster 174
Forminster 175
Finist Ind 120
Forminster 175
Forminster 17

• -3 • -3

Bid talk lifts Rugby

ACCOUNT DAY: Dealings began, April 11, Dealings end, April 8, Contango Day, April 11, Settlement Day, April 18.

promis for the full year from £18.6m to £23.5m - and just to underline the performance the EEC confirmed it was clamping down on cheap East European imports of cement.

This has led to renewed speculation that a bid may be on the way with dealers reporting a lage put-through of shares done outside the market.

The Moreon Condition is a beginn, cont 11. Dealings end, April 8. Contango Dey, April 11. Settlement Day, April 18.

Eric Morley and his wife holding 51 per cent of the shares a bid would need to be agreed.

Also making its debut on the upturn in the being, gilts spent a lack lustre day. So with the bulk of the new "tap" still in the hands of the "tap" still in the hands of the "The Moreon Condition of the "tap" still in the hands of the "tap" still

423512831268622862222 6652866555251243212844893452311756175941

+1 +1 +1 +1 -2 +1

Halms PLC
Hampson ind
Hantimez Comp
Hantower inv
Enson Trust
Harrycaves Grus
Harrison Crus
Harrison
Harris

Relical Bar Henly's Cer Henly's Cer Herman Smith Hestair Herden-Stuart Herden-Stuart Height P'cost Highs & Hill Hill C Bristol Hopkinsons Horten Travel Howden Fraser Howden Group Huddens Bay Huntleigh Grp Hutch Whamp

2.1 7.9 ...

15.7 19.6 0.1 1.0

3.0 18.8 6.4 10.3 7.3 16.8 ... 50.0 7.4 8.0 1.4 26.5 6.3 8 1 17.9

13.2 10.0 6.3 20.5 2.3 7.3 4.7

+į/₂ +i

Robert Holmes à Court's Bell from 133/p to 138p following Group, holds around 5 per cent the collapse of Arbithnot and has been tipped as a bidder Latham's unitization proposals in the past.

At last night's close, the Stoop picked up 800,000 shares group was valued at around in the market representing £138m. Lord Boyd-Carpenter, around 26 per cent of the shares which had seen the price rally from 102p after the figures. But he denied the ing closer to 700 barrier spurred company had received a bid. "There had been no approach whatever. The shares are now standing at very near their full value", he said.

English China Clays, headed so in the collapse of Arbithnot and has been tipped as a bidder Latham's unitization proposals. Shorts resisted the trend with of the year of £1/4 and dealers \$1.125 million shares on the basis of three-for-two at 1 cent to raise \$1.12m (£723,000). The proceeds will be used to pay of a switching from longs into £130,000 bridging loan, complete the Kitzbuhel purhcase and provide further cash for exploration on the Ajman project. Hawley Group, went a wooing for Miss World Group and announced it had picked up a Cutter placed 4.6 million shares on news of a mount of the vield curve. On the bid from its Volume from the yield curve. On the bid from the yield curve. On the bid from the Witchell Short of the yield curve. On the bid from the witchell Short of the yield curve. On the bid from the witchell Short of the yield curve. On the bid from the witchell Short of the yield curve. On the bid from the witchell Short of the yield curve. On the bid from the witchell Short of the yield curve. On the bid from the witchell Short of the yield curve. On the bid from the witchell Short of the yield curve. On the bid from the Ajman project.

Hawley Group, went a wooing for their record-breaking run, draw announced it had picked up a day after bid from the Ajman project.

Shorts referring the two Kirsh and t Shorts resisted the trend with

Government broker, prices Reynolds Diversified, the oil and drifted with falls of around fig. gas exploration group, has in longs.

Shorts resisted the trend with 1.125 million shares on the basis

Gross
Dir Yld
Price Ch'go pence & P/E

TI Group
TACTON
TOCOM
T

+2 +3 +1

INVESTMENT TRUSTS

Alliance Inv
Alliance Trust
Amer Trust ord
Amer Trust
Amer Trust
Amer Trust
Amer Trust
Inv
Do Ass
Anglo Scot
Brit Lang
Brit Lang Sec
Brit Lang
Correct Lang
Correct Lang
Do Promier Lang
Do Promier
Drayton Cons
Do Promier
Drayton Lapan
Edit Amer Amer
Edit Angle Lang
Eng & Int
Eng & Int
Eng & Int
Eng & Nork
Francing Mer
Francing Mer
Francing Mer
Francing CoGen Scottish
Clobe Trust
Gen Scottish
Clobe Trust
Greenfruit
Greenfru

Metas Bulletto
Metas Rulletto
Metas Rulletto
Metas Rulletto
Metas Metas
Mettay
Metyer Int
Midjand Ind
Monten Grp
Madern
Moont A.
Moutecatini
Montfort Knit
More O'Perrali
Morgan Cruc
Movean
Moorgan
Nas
Mews
Nabisco
Noriolk
C Grp
Neil J.
Newmark
L
Newmark
L
Newmark
Noriolk
C Grp
Neil J.
Netton
Moorgan
Noriolk
Moorgan
Noriolk
Moorgan
Noriolk
Mig
Nurdin & Prock
Nu-Swift Ind

Geean Wilsons

Oglivy & M. Entre
Owen Owen 168
Owen Owen 168
Owners Abroad 25
Pactrol Elect 35
Pactrol Elect 35
Pactrol Elect 35
Pactrol Elect 17
Do A NV
Pauls & Whites 255
Pearson & Son 30
Pegler-Bail 28
Pentiand Ind 56
Pertron 2 25
Pentiand Ind 56
Pertron 32
Philips Fin 5a 24
Philips Lamps 116
Pilco Bidga 182
Philips Lamps 117
Pilco Bidga 182
Pilco

Rockware Grp
Rotaffex
Rotaprint
Du 111-2 Cony
Rothmus Lat B'
Rotork PLC
Robiledge & K
Rowlinson Sec
Rownon Hotels
Royal Worcs
Royal Royal
Salachi
Salachi
Salachi
Salachi
Salachi
Salachi
Salachi
Security
S

+1 +2 +3 +3 +1 +2 +1 -11 -2 -2

13 15 44 -2 +1 +5

+5 -1 -1 -3

+12

8.6 68 11.2 13.4 2.2 15.2

45 10.9 44 184 45 49 10.1 3.9 10.1 3.7 10.6 485 11.2 22.0 0.1 27.8 0.1 27.8 0.1 27.8 0.1 10.4 0.5 12.1 2.8 12.1

with a firm of brokers in the City carlier this week. The shares have risen 22p on the week.

ICI put in another strong run icl put in another strong run with a spurt of 10p to 436p following the report in The Times earlier this week on a sizable upgrading of profits by brokers Wood Mackenzie.

In oils Ultramar lost 5p to 587p after news of a big fire at the control of the liquidical material are

one of its liquified natural ga plants in Indonesia. A state ment said there had been littl damage to the other processing train or the two new processin

trains under construction. Akroyd & Smithers, one of the two publicly quoted jobbing firms, was marked 25p higher at 383p on hopes of a bumper year for profits following the mar-ket's recent strength.

Much of the group's profit is derived from its heavy exposure to the fucative gilts market. Shares of RTD rose 10p to 24p on news of a management buyout. Mr Victor Burley and Mr Anthony Parmiter, directors of RTD Swan, an RTD Swan, an RTD Swan, an RTD Swan, and RTD Swan, an subsidiary, have bought 100,000 ordinary shares at 16p and 2 million preference shares at 4p each giving them 20.5 per cent

THE TIMES 1000 1962/1983 The World's Top Comp

eck on a profits by	Jappeses, Mich, Canadian, Hood Kong bompenies, etc. ESLOD Available from beoksellers or circl at AVLZ3 bolishing postage from
zie. ost 5p to og fire at	TRACES BOOKES LTD 16 Golden Squire, London, W.(
tural gas A state-	2562/83 Gross 1562/83 Dir Vid High Low Company Price Chige pence C, p.e.
rocessing	90, 128 Lake View Inv 120 *3 6.9 12 112 11 Law Reb Corp 112 64b 5.7 89 42 Lon Merch Sec 58 -1 2.9 3.4
i, one of 1 d jobbing 1	58 29 Do Dfo 60 -2 77 102 Ldn Pru Invest 177 - 7.6 43 51 65 Ldn Trust Ord 79 -4 5.4 6.8 39 88½ Merchants Trust 136; • -2 65 43
higher at	0212 60 Murray Civae 2024 - 295 29
profit is .	17 129 Murray Glend 217 4.36 26 18 68 Murray N thu 118 28 24
market.	80 48 New Darten Oil 47 0.4 64 33 18 New Throp lac 35; • 3.0 2.1 18 192 Do Cap 254
riey and 16 directors 2	
100,000	10 410 HODECO 115 562 32 8 5 6 51 400 Rolling Subs (15 841 +1 16.7 26 17) 17 ₂ 334 Rorento NV E45
per cent	90 126 Scot Amer 179 6.6 3.7 77 Scot Eastern 110 +2 4.5 4.4 96 124 Scot Invest 283 6.7 3.7 18 140 Scot Marteuce 243 +1 7.6 11
Gross Div Yid e pence G. P/E	5 25 Stewart Por 34 71 40
Dlv Y7d e pence G- P/E 11 15.7 4.6 10.9 19 5.3 6.3 7.4	12 125 Rockholders 292 2 5.5 2.7 2 90 TR Australia 152 2 5.0 3.3 10 13 TR C of Lin Did 106 9 1, 1.15 67 10 TR Ind 4 Gen 95 47, 4.3 4.5 8 143 TR Natural Res 198 9, 654 4.9 16 17 TR Nih America 146 7.54 5.1 16 92 TR Pactic Basio 164 3.95 2.4 17 TR Property 101 3.15 3.1 18 17 TR Technology 1.75 41 47 2.5
	G 63 TR Tribitings 87
71 3.2 18.0 8 71 6.4 14.3 15 2.5b 3.3 14.2 17 3.6 6.7 9.8 17 13.7 4.5 11.7 13	3 73 Trans Oceanic 132 -1 3.6 2.8
0.0e 10.6 6	8 310 Do Cap 918 . 9.3 5.5 . 9 102 Utd States Deb 165 . 9.3 5.5 . 9 2 59 Viking Res 15 +1 1.1 1.5 . 9 3 0 38 Westpool by 51 1.7 32
. zi° ie ∷	14, St Witan lov 1019, 41 316 3.6 2 125 Young Co Inv 192 +2 9.1 4.8 RIPPING
900 730 166	286° Brit & Com 570 *55 13 7 23 21.7 286° Caledonia inv 155 *35 18.5 24 73.7 100 *56° Caledonia inv 155 *35 18.5 24 73.7
17.6 0.8 21.2 140	INES
19.3 6.2 6.6 16 23.3 3.9 12.1 14 2.6 3.3 12.3 61	10 Auglo Am Coal £15% +4 76.0 4.8 2 3 mangio Am Corp £142 -4 51.5 4.2 2 24 Ang Am Gold 575 4 -4 526 6.7
2.6 3.3 13.1 61 6.6 4.1 15.5 48 5.5 3.4 14.5 48 5.7 8.5 5.0 12 20.9 4.0 15.4 292	44 200 Anglovani 1012 +14 215 3.3 16 Anglovani 547 +1 175 3.7
20.9 4.0 15.4 29.2 6.7 4.9 13.3 44 11.4 5 9 33.9 29.0 1.9 8.8 5.5 529 3.4 8.9 7.7 551	16 Do 'A' for +1 173 1.7 3º Blyvours 1100½, -5½, 116 10.7 52 Bracken Mines 243 +6 22.7 13.4 141 CRA 233 166 Charter Cons 233 +3 15.7 6.2 314 Cons Gold Picks 557 +18 35.0 6.3 165 De Beers 'Did 'Sti +1 12.5 2.3 38 Doornfontein 255; +2 113 5.6
10.3 5.8 9.0 247 9.6 4.5 311	5 Physician 1275 + 116 5.9
6.4 6.5 13.3 17. 6.3 2.0 16.9 18. 6.7 2.0 14.3 18. 6.1 6.6 34.4 150 0.9c 11 20. 1.4c 5.7 2.0 14.3 18. 0.9c 1.1 20. 1.4c 5.7 2.0 18. 7.1 2.4 8.9 210 2.9 3.4 92.4 17. 2.9 3.4 92.4 17.	37 East Dagra 238 +2
10.0 5.1 2.2 893	# 875 F S Getting 222 **4 133 4.5 ### 135 Genor 11854 **54 88.3 4.5 ### 136 Goldfields S A. 1865 **14 306 3.5 ### 254 Grootviel F1184 **4 64.7 56 ### 136 January 5144 **4 64.7 56 #### 136 January 5144 **4 14.9 7 #### 136 January 5144 **4 14.9 7 ################################
6.6b 4.6 24.7 57 6.5 1.9 30.2 51	144 Rampton Gold 180 r +6 5.48 3.0 3 Surfarmony E144, +1 144 9.7 15 Hartebeest 1561, +114, 230 51 21 Jo burg Cons E81, +4 344 4.2 2 Superiorest 1185, +4 344 4.2 2 Superiorest 1185, +4 358 4.7 16 Ricol £14 4-2 158 4.7 52 Lealie 301 4-8 31.5 10.5 16 St Lioznon £24, 44, 141 5.5
	52 Leslie 301 +8 31.5 10.5 45 Lioznon 1254 +15, 141 55 90 Lydenburg Plat 408 -6 15.7 3.9
28.3 7.4 3.8 44	13 RTD (Manguta) 20 -1 2.5 2.8 43 Malaysta 90 -1 2.5 2.8 69 Marterale Con 331 -4 2.9 69 15 Melais Explor 42 -1 32 Minde Wits 114 33.5 3.4 23 Minorco 794 -56 15.16 i.9
71 00 70 515	23 Pekn Wallsend 366 +2 15.16 1.9 1.16 Pres Brand 1334 +11, 221 6.7
0.7 1.9 650 2.9 3.4 106 5.5 6.0 18.4 285 8.0 9.3 7.4 607	155 Rand Mine Prop 605 415 17.8 2.9 19 Randfontela 1.05 44 631 6.0 14 Renison 236 349 Ris Tinto Zinc 607 423 22.9 3.8
1.7 8.3 6.7 499 8.8 3.6 9.6 34 ¹ / ₂ 5.4 3.0 16.9 10 ¹ / ₂ 3.9 5.5 9.5 673 3.6 6.7 9.2 44 ¹ / ₂	94 St Helena 1284 + 237 8 2
A16 A6. 30	
10.7 8.2 4.9 144c 17.2 844 6.1 6.4 35 6.8 6.0 10.2 107 7.1 9.4 9.7 135 6.7 2.2 21.7 535	ZUL VALI Reels 1794 -4 JTI 16
4.4 51 10.5 414 6.2 2.8 280	12 Western Ridge 1354 +14, 345 6.6
4.0 28 9.5 38. 21.6 3.6 12.5	12 Zambia Copper 22
8.6 33 43.6 OI) 12.9 4.0 27.2 3.9 4.9 10.4 140 225.250.	65 Ampol Pet 91 +6 3.4 3.8 22.2 41 Anyll 46 +1 110 Allantic Res 110 73 Berkeley Exp 83
250°, 220°, 230°, 27.7 21.4 5.6 4.9 204 27.8 1.8 3.2 183 2.3 3.9 14.3 97	210 Brit Borneg 285 +2 18.3 6.4 15.1 258 B.P. 372 +2 28.9 7.8 10.6 190 Britoll 204 +8 14.16 6.9 9.4 106 Burgush Oil 178 +2 12.9 7.2 8.5
44.3 8.1 11.4 108 44.3 8.1 11.4 108 4.75 5.9 24.8 184	60 Century Olis 78 . 49 6.2 8.5
4.3b 3.4 10.4 120 8.0 1.1 46.7 6916 1.8 2.7 13.4 107 0.1b 0.6 68.4 225	47:2 Global Nat Res £405;2 -i. 44 Goal Petroleum 68 -2 36.8
4.3b 3.4 10.4 120 8.0 1.1 45.7 26 1.8 2.7 13.4 107 9.1b 0.5 69.4 107 1.9 0.5 69.4 158 5.9 7.1 13.4 35.14 0.7 0.7 13.9 960 11.4 5.2 15.3 42 11.4 4.5 5.7 150 15.6 4.2 10.1 565 15.7 3.6 14.8 475 21 4.3 284 40 1.0 506 5.8 10.8 28.7 299 25 29 20 7 299 26 29 20 7 299 27 29 20 7 299	223 L28mg 295 +12 15.7k 5.5 8.4
15.6 4.2 10.1 565 15.7 3.6 14.8 475 21 4.3 22.7 14.0 1.0 506 15.8 10.8 28.7 2191 26 7.9 16 3 79	244 Ranger Oil 445 15 mRoyal Dutch £370g -in 123 4.5 4.5 332 Shell Trans 568 42 33 5 7 7
. 592 3	41 TR Energy 46 -5 21.4b 17 65 DPERTY
4.9 4.9 183 722 12.0 204 3 6.5 6.9 133 6.9 11.3 133	80 Ailled Ldn 103 +1 2.2 2.1 13.2 152 Allmatt Ldg 188 . 7.4 4.0 17.3 93 April 106 . 2.9 2.7 37.3
2.1 3.6	174 Bradlard Prop 270 7.6 18 17.9
7.2 4.6 112 9.7 5.7 10.7 154 1 8.6 8.1 12.6 370 1 9.3 4.7 48 1048 3.5 67 10.6 4.1 218 1	91 Briston Estate 109 5.2 4.8 20.5 109 Cap & Countres 152 5.4 3.6 20.1 255 Chesterfield 345 +10 11.1 3.2 31 352. Country & New 7 66 +1 4.5 11.0 11.6 359.2 Country & New 7 66 +1 1.4 21 123 Daejan Hidgs 157 6.8 4.3 8.4 6.0 7.1 6.5
8.6 8.1 12.0 370 2 3.3 4.7 46 6.4 1.3 100 4.3 4.1 100 4.3 4.1 100 4.3 4.1 100 4.3 4.1 100 4.5 4.4 10.5 74 6.1 4.6 110 5.0 7.5 110 5.0 7.5 110 5.0 7.5 120 4.0 14.3 75 7.0 5 7.0 7.0 7.0 70 7.0 70	57 February 84 +2 60 41 62 1
L4 5.4 150 1 0.5 3.0 750 5 7.9 7.2 440 3 0.0 4.0 14.3 75	51 Estates & Gen 73 2.7 3.7 20 GF Portland 154 42 7.1b 4.6 23.8 96 Greycoat City 122 42 1.4 1.2 68.5 98 Guildhalt 112 7.0b 7.1 13.0 98 Hammerson A 695 18.5b 2.7 33.3 38 Haslemere Ests 440 10.2 2.3 30.0 37 Kent M P. 45 -1 1.8 40 47 55 Laing Props 212 -1.1 3.4 21.8 46 Laind Sectivities 328 42 12.4 3.8 29.0 58 Lon & Prov Sh 326 45 3.4 1.6 76.3 12 Lon Shop 128 5.2b 64.17.6 58 MSPC 113 4.4 7.8 58 MSPC 219 110.4 4.5 22.5 58 MSPC 219 110.4 1.5 22.5 58 MSPC 219 110.4 4.5 22.5 59 MSPC 219 110.4 4.5 22.5 59 MSPC 219 110.4 4.5 22.5 59 MSPC 219 110.4 4.5 22.5 50 MSPC 219 110.4
1.4 7.7 9.7 328 2 3.6 5.6 . 328 2 7.0 3.4 . 141 1 12 6.3 . 340 10	46: Land Servities 212 e 7.1 3.4 21.8 46: Land Servities 326 +2 12.4 3.4 22.0 46: Land Servities 326 +5 12.4 3.4 22.0 47: Land Shop 326 +5 3.4 1.6 17.5 48: Land Shop 326 + 8.20 6.4 17.6 48: Land Shop 326 + 8.20 6.4 17.6 48: Land Shop 326 +1 10.4 4.5 22.5 48: Land Shop 326 +1 10.4 4.5 22.5 48: Land Shop 326 +1 10.4 4.5 22.5
19 14.0 900 85 18 3.8 153	Second Sec
1.9 14.0	900 - 13.0 1.4 30.77 North British 113
164 11 18 3.6 144 9 19 3.4 116 10 12 126 1.4 0.5 1285 16	Tragian prop 14 44 5.6 g
14 17.6 1144 1 116 116 117.6 1164 117.6 1164 117.6 1164 117.6 117.	Ragian Prop Tq 44 3.5 2.6 (4)
75 4.7 28 17 19 4.7 28 17 19 4.7 28 17 19 4.8 17 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19	54 Town & City 31, 44 1.08 32 6 Trust Secs 53 2.8 3.4 48 2 Do Did 78 5 Webb J. 176 42 0.7 42 105
2 4.3 3 5.0 RUB1 6 4.8 85 4 1 0.4 560 34	BER.
1 0.4 85 44 560 34 1 34 1 35 1 36 1 37 1 36 1 37 1 37 1 38 1 3	Majorine 90 . 35.7 5.5 .
94 2.9 TEA 2 6.7 TEA 3 2.2 520 413 2 5.1 380 220	
1 43 155 278 5 3.5 295 278 10 1.6 150 86	Moran 285 1.46 0.5 Moran 285 1.46 0.5 Surmah Valley 160 h 5.7 2.5
94 31 MISCI	ELLANEOUS Esper Wtr 3.5% EST-2 500 193 Gi Num Tele 652 +3 91.5 18 20.5
8 3.0	Milford Docks 78 -2 0.7 0.5 Nesco Inv 33 10.0 12.0 Sunderind Wir 537 49 500 72.5
00 4.6 Ex divi	dend. a Ex all. b Forecast dividend. c Corrected interim payment passed. f Price at suppension. E

± 1.1

7 >

5

金のの 情になる



Sterli	ng: Spo	ot and i	orward	
New York Monireal Amsterdam Frussels Copenhagen Dubdin Frankfurt Lisbon Madrid Milian Usio Paris Stinckholm Tokyo Vienna Zurich	Market rates (day's range; day's range; April 15 \$1.5385-1 \$100 4.23-4.25-11 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.655-1 \$1.257-	Market rates (close) April 15, 5485 \$1, 9080-1, 9080 4, 254-4, 25461 15, 25-75, 357 13, 38-13, 408 1, 1945-1, 19559 3, 774-3, 25461 150, 75-151, 75-2 2046-22451 11, 157-11, 158-2 3677-36892 11, 35-11, 584 3677-36892 25, 59-25, 55-ch 3, 16-3, 177	1 month 0.17-0.12c green 0.27-0.10c prem 17-17-c prem 3-13c disc 245.350or e disc 50-53p disc 2.31-25 prem 370-1350c disc 175-250c disc 175-250c disc 185-350or e disc 18-34c disc 18-18-c disc 140-120y prem 17-19-c prem	3 me 6.48 9.35 5-4 119-2 635-115- 5-42 179-3 179-3 179-3 380-3 3-2 5-42

Money Market Rates

Weekend	MRI Leans & : Righ 104 ed: 104-10	Low 92	
M COR PA	66: 10-10		
	Treasur	7 Bills (Dis다)	
Buying		Selling	
2 properties	31377	2 months 94	
3 months	9%	3 months 94	
Prin	te Bank Bills	(Dis%) Trades (Dis%)	
1 month	1011-10	1 masth 100%	
2 months	915/4-621-2	2 months 10%	
3 months	9 . 9111.	3 months 104	
5 monihs	9-9-3	6 months 104	
1 month	Lecal Au 11-104	therity Boads	
2 months	11-10-	I months n.a.	
3 months	10%-10%	8 stooths q.a.	
4 broaths	10°-10°-	9 months 104-10	
5 months	102-10-1	44 440M COS 11.S.	
6 months	10'-10 10'-9'2	Il months n.a.	
o months	104-2.1	12 months 100-10	
_ S	econdary M	kt. ECD Rates (%)	
4 819818	10 10 0	6 months 1044-1019	
3 months	100 to 100 to	12 months 10414-10	
	LOCAL ADDA	rity Markel (%)	
2 days	ID:	3 months 101	
7 dats	10-	6 months 104	
1 month	164	2 year 104	
	-	-	
Washana	Interbani	k Market (<p)< td=""><td></td></p)<>	
Weekend:	upen 12	Close 104	
1 month	102-102	6 months 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 10	
3 months	1074-109	9 Months 10hr-16hr	
D MUCH LES	104-109	12 months 1014-1014	
First C	lass Floures	Homes (Mks. Rateco)	
3 months	10 14-10-14	6 months 104-104	
	ose Dare its		
	AT EASILY	SIII Tender	
Application	OS 1452.570t	malionied tioom	
	31.30%	Focelyed 196:	
Last week	97.5354	received 2%	
Average ra	tte 9.7566	Last week 9,5194	
Year week	£100m	replace floor	

Dollar Spot Rates



Industrial production up 1.1 per cent in February

UK leading world out of recession

says Treasury minister

City Comment

Predictable

move in

UDS fight

Hill Samuel has resigned

as advisers to UDS and

been replaced by Charter-

house Japhet. This is

hardly surprising. Hill

Samuel's advice has been

largely ignored by the

board majority because it

prefers the comforting

assurances about the fu-

ture of the business from

Mr Gerald Ronson's Bas-

sishaw to the hard com-

mercial appeal of Hanson

Trust's cash or shares

starting with a clean slate,

says the board is right to

have exercised its jud-

gment and recommend the

lower offer and looks ready

But Sir Robert Clark,

who is both chairman of

Hill Samuel and of UDS,

will not be resigning from

the board of the embattled

stores group, which will

now get Hill Samuel's £750,000 bill for the de-

Samuel weighs the efforts

Against that

fence of UDS.

to back them to the hilt.

Charterhouse Japhet,

offer.

Investment and **Finance**

City Editor **Anthony Hilton**

THE

City Office 200 Gray's Inn Road London WC1X 8EZ Telephone 01-837 1234

STOCK EXCHANGES

FT Index: 695.5, up 6.6. FT Gifts: 82.9, foen 0.02 FT All Share: 439.52, up 3.82 **Bargains: 27,085** Tring Hall USM 172.4, up 1.2 Tokyo: Nikkei Dow Jones Average, 8,552.16, down 2.05 Hongkong: Hang Seng Im Index, 1.067.14, down 0.22 New York: Dow Jones Average (midday, 1.166.99, up 1.74

CURRENCIES

LONDON CLOSE Sterling \$1.5480, up 75pts Index 82.9, up 0.5 DM 3.7775 FrF 11.3150 Yen 367.00 Index 122.5, down 0.2 DM 2.4385, down 10pts

\$435.50, down \$0.50 NEW YORK LATEST

INTEREST RATES

Domestic rates: Base rate 10 3 month interbank 1014-1016 Euro-currency rates: 3 month collar 10^1h_6 - 10^1h_6 3 month DM 5^1h_6 - $4^{15}h_6$ 3 month Fr F 11^3h_6 - 11^1h_2

ECGD Fixed Rate Sterling Export Finance Scheme N Average reference rate for interest period March 2 to April 5, 1983 inclusive: 10.974 per

PRICE CHANGES

Sovereign Oil 234p, up 65p Sovereign Oil 234p, up 65p Thorpac 67p, up 12p Pict Petrol 58p, up 10p Willaire Syst 6p, up 1p Mettoy 45p, up 7p Ch'mbo & Hill 47p, up 7p Saxon Oil 155p, down 31p Im. Bus Systs 228p, down

TSL Thermal 53p, down 8p Automotive Pd 27p, down Snia Viscosa 38p, down 4p Staneico 48p, down 5p

Dreamland court action

Proceedings have been instituted in the Industrial Tribunals Court by Mr John Combes, the former managing director of Dreamland Electrical Applianc-The company is defending the action.

Mr Combes has been dis-

missed from his executive role, but remains on the board. The news comes just a week after Dreamland announced a

return to profit in 1982, at £56.000 after a half-time loss of SOTHEBY'S SLIPS: The price of Sotheby Parke

Bernet shares slid 12p to 508p vesterday as hopes faded that it would find a suitor prepared to bid more than the 502p in cash already being offered by two New York financiers and art callectors.

TRACTOR SALES: New tractor registrations were 18 per cent higher in the first three months of this year than in the corresponding period last year, the Agricultural Engineers Association said yesterday. Sales are now running at an annual rate of more than 28.000 units, a quarter more than two

years 220. FRENCH STAKE Mid-and Bank is restructing its French operations around a new company, Midland Bank S.A. in which it will have an 85 per cent stake. Midland Bank SA will then issue FrF 200m (17.7m) convertible loan stock

to allow scope for expansion. @ RESCUE PLAN: The rescue plan for Wellman has been approved by shareholders who are subscribing for new convertible preference shares.

TOYOTA DROP: Toyota Motor Corporation said its vehicle exports in the year to March 31 fell one per cent to a rounded 1.66 million from

Nissan Motor Company also said that its exports fell 4.8 per

cent to 1.34 million last year. ●HOTELS SALE: Six London hotels have been put up for sale by Grand Metropolitan, the hotels, drink and leisure group. They are the Piccadilly Hotel. the St Ermin's Hotel, the Chesterfield Hotel, the Kennedy Hotel, the Clifton Ford Hotel and the Mount Royal.

● MASSIVE DEBT: Italy's state owned group IRI (lastitu-to per la Riconstruzione Industriale) last year incurred debts amounting to £16,135m. The servicing of this massive debt takes up 17 per cent of turnover, compared to 3.6 per cent for private firms. Signor Romano Prodi, the chairman, gave these figures when he appeared before parliament's zine and a chain of provincial commission for state-owned newspapers, acquired a 13 per

Dow up trading

Jones)-Stocks advanced slowly in active trading yesterday.

The Dow Jones industrial more than seven to five ahead of declines.

International Machines was unchanged at 109% General Motors was off at 64; General Electric fell % at 108 % American Telephone &

Digital Equipment, at 125 4 manufacturing higher, than was up %; Exxon at 33 was three months.

These figure British to 147% up 13%; Texas Instruments at 163% was off 5%; Motorola at 1111% up 1%; Lockheed 1123% was down 15%; American Express at 68 was up 1/2 and International Paper at 511/8 was off 3/8.

Mr Monathan Dodd analyst for E. F. Hutton said the market was "still working higher but concern is rising because of the long stretch of advances. He added: "We've had six days in a row on the upside -

the longest such stretch since the bull market began last August. And further the advances started after the market was down for four days in a row which was the longest

"Volume continues fairly good and there are no diver-gences left which could mean added life for the up-phase," he

Meanwhile, the profits last ear of Fortune magazine's top 500 companies fell a record 27. per cent from their 1981 levels in the largest earnings dip in the 20-year history of its listing of America's leading industrials.

Oil companies continued to dominate the top spots on the list, with Excon retaining its number one ranking, despite a \$10,000m (£6,493m) fall in sales to below \$100,000m.

UKasked to justify Hyster aid

to justify nearly £20m planned investment in the Hyster fork lift truck plant in Scotland.

The Commission is concerned that some of the aid may be in breach of EEC rules on free competion. It has given Britain four weeks to provide details of the plan.

Proceedings, began yesterday vith a message to Britain demanding information. This effectively blocks all cash injections to the plant in Irvine until the Commission rules on the validity of £10m for vocational training and a further £9,520,000 in the form of a direct investment grant.

A Commission spokesman said the investment spending might be in order, but there was concern at the scale of planned spending on training.
The procedure could take

months to complete, but if the Commission does block the investment in Hyster, Britain can take the Commission to

Meanwhile, the French Government has been given four weeks to justify its £4m state spending in the Timex plant as Besancon.

Britain has already raised the issue with the Commission because of cuts at the Times

Workers at the Scottish Timex plant are still staging a sit-in in protest at the loss of 1,900 jobs. They claim the production of a revolutionary three-dimensional which is to begin at the French plant could equally well be carried out in Dundee.

The Commission wants to know the social and economic situation in the Besancon region before assessing the justification for national aids.

 The EEC Commission will press ahead with the next stage of tobacco tax harmonization despite the vigorous and sustained opposition of the European parliament. There were protests from both the Con-conference servative and Labour MEPs There had been a tremendous ages of gasoline stocks had also yesterday when it was disclosed. amount of destocking in the developed in the United States.

slightly in brisk

Britain is leading the world out of recession, Mr Leon Brittan, Chief Secretary to the average rose four points to Treasury, claimed yesterday, as above 1169 and gainers were new figures showed that industrial production in Britain and America is rising while inflation

is falling. Britain's industrial duction rose 1.1 per cent in February after gaining 0.3 per cent- in January. The latest Telegraph rose 14 at 65 55; three-months the index or Merck was unchanged at 82 34 and Atlantic Richfield up 35 to manufacturing index 1 per cent than in the previous higher, than in the previous

These figures encouraged Mr at 79½ was off ½ Teledyne at Brittan to tell a London 147½ up 13½. Texas Instruments conference: "Those who repeatedly urge us to lead the world out of recession should realize that we are already doing so." But over a longer period, the British production figures point to the importance of oil and gas

and the problems of the manufacturing sector. The whole index, which reached 103.6 (1975 = 100) in February, was 214 per cent above a year ago, whereas manufacturing ago, whereas manufacturing production was unchanged over 12 months.

Oil and gas, production by contrast grew by 21_h per cent quarter on quarter and has expanded by 17 per cent over the year. Indeed, manufacturing recent three-months period, output actually fell last month, Food, drink and tobacco gained but officials regard the decline 3 per cent, chemicals, coal and began in the early 1970s, is as a freak.

3 per cent, chemicals, coal and began in the early 1970s, is as a freak.

Broken down by sector, metal cent, and other manufacturing manufacturing rose by 5 per per cent.
cent between the two most Officials point out that the

APR'MAY JUN'JUL'AUG'SEP'OCT'NOV DEC'JAN'FEB

UK INDUSTRIAL

PRODUCTION

Vola Index

long-term decline of British Manufacturing industry, which

covery. wholesale prices last month, The index of per capital gross which resulted in an overall

But Sir Geoffrey Howe, While admitting that encourage cent for 1983. ing greater exchange rate stab-ility was a desirable and legitimate objective he said: "The crucial precondition is that economic prospects and policies in the world's major economies should come closer together, and that all countries should maintain progress in

reducing inflation."

Another cause for caution in the manufacturing sector is the investment goods.

US output rises for fourth month

US industrial output rose a healthy 1.1 per cent last month, despite a sharp drop in car production, which was offset by important gains in the output of consumer-related industries.

monthly gain in national output and came after a rise of only 0.3 Board said yesterday.

Perhaps more significant, below a year earlier.

per cent in this key indicator during February, the US Federal

domesite product in the West decline in prices for the first Midlands, for instance, fell from quarter of the year of 4.1 per 102.8 in 1971 to 90.6 a decade cent, the best three-month later. The labour department re-

مكذا من رلامل

Chancellor of the Exchequer, port on producer prices bolstered economists' predictions Government's view that de-that inflation at the wholesale valuation was not a solution. level will drop less than I per

This would be the best showing since the mid-1960s, labour department economists

A key factor in holding down prices last month was a sharp drop in oil prices which resulted in an overall decline for energy prices of 3.2 per cent. This occurred despite continuing increases in natural gas prices, which rose 2.5 per cent last month, on top of a rise in February of 3.2 per cent.

Administration officials said wholesale prices have not fallen for a full calendar quarter since

The drop in motor industry output, which has been a key factor in pushing up national production in recent months had been expected and is not

It was the fourth consecutive likely to continue in coming months, officials said.

Despite the good however, output at the nation's factories, mines and electric

of a 10 man team which, it utilities was still 1.8 per cent

insists, pushed the bid price up Maybe. But with the Hill Samuel chairman heading UDS there was a tendency to ride roughshod over the old board members. This led to the deal to sell a large chunk of the business to the Burton

Group to stop Bassishaw - a deal which has clouded the whole complex issue. Not that Bassishaw's advisers, NM Rothschild and Barclays Merchant Bank, have done much better. Bassishaw declared its 130p offer its final bid so it could go and buy in the market. Someone misjudged Hanson's strength of purpose and did not expect it to offer 1331/p in

Perhaps it is no coincidence that Hanson is winning the game, just: its advisers, Schroder Wagg, have kept very quiet and maintained a very low

£14m loss at components group | Hawley grabs stake

By Andrew Cornelius Automotive Products, the However, Mr George Pears, West Midlands motor compo-the chairman, said that there are nexts manufacturer, produced some hesitant signs of increas-

dismal results for 1982 yester- ing demand in the United States day which were dramatically and Europe, and that the board below City expectations. The would be able to take a view on group, which makes clutches, whether to resume payment of brakes, gearboxes and steering the dividend when the interim equipment, suffered a sharp figures are reported in Septembdownturn in orders for spare parts in the second half of the year which helped contribute towards pretax losses of £14.1m. against losses of £2.2m m 1981. Reorganization and redun-

included in the figures in a bid dend after paying 0.5p at the interim stage against last year's total dividends of 3p.

Trading to a barrage of argu-

ments on why its planned

merger with rival casino and

leisure group Trident Television

Commission for investigation.

in Trident's share price, which

at 93p is now 22p adrift of the

value of Pleasurama's shares

ing its claim on the total says.

and cash bid.

But with City analysts expect-ing losses in the region of £3m to £6m, the results were a nasty reminder of the problems in the manufacturing sector of indusdancey costs of £4.9m were also try. The shares were down by 4p to wipe the slate clean. The at 27p on the day, reflecting workforce was cut by 1,200 to 8,300 people during the year.

The board passed the divious seek about prospects for the company. The losses helped to swell group losses helped to swell group borrowings from £40.7m to

per cent, according to the latest

Even if it controlled the two

London casinos managed by

share of London players would

Pleasurama has also argued

that the Gaming Act already

precludes competition among

individual casinos. This make

Gaming Board figures.

Pleasurama argues

for casinos merger

By Jeremy Warner

Pleasurama has begun to number of London casino subject the Office of Fair players will still be less than 17

should not be referred to the Grand Metropolitan in which it Monopolies and Mergers has a 25 per cent interest, its

The lobby comes mounting speculation in the More than anyming, it is stock market that the addition Grand Met connexion which has sparked talk of a reference.

Rritain's largest

to Tridents four casinos in the casino operator and already

capital, virtually guarantees a has a sizable shareholding

Pleasurama has pointed out, the structure of casino owner-

however, that even after merg-ship irrelevant, the company

Oil prices are firming,

Shell chief says

By Jonathan Davis, Energy Correspondent

The first signs of a shortage of early months of this year, oil stocks have appeared in reflecting the expectation of oil parts of Europe and the United companies and consumers that

States, suggesting that oil prices were going to fall. But demand and prices may finally now, Sir Peter said, "percepbe firming up, Sir Peter tions seem to be changing all Baxendall, chairman of Shell, round the world".

and yesterday.

Destocking had come to an What happened to oil stocks end eventually, and when it did

was critical to the success or it would add as much as 4 failure of Opec's attempts to million barrels a day to world

hold falling oil prices around its demand, most of it for oil from

new lower marker price of \$29 a Opec. In the last few days the

barrel he told an energy first minor stock gaps had

reference. This fear is reflected in Pleasurama.

have risen to 62 per cent of

Mr Pears said that although the company is always in close contact with its bankers, there are no problems which the existing management cannot handle: "We feel we have done the nasty work now." He said that success of last year's retionalization is already begin-ning to show through. The company managed to produce a small pretax profit in the first quarter of this year. Continuing efforts to control costs and cut stocks will help redue borrow-

Group turnover of £203m for 1982 against £201m the previous year should increase again £54.5m during the year which this year as demand for APs means that group borrowings products increases.

465-

430

395

360

325

290

in Miss World

Group, less than 24 hours after intentions. the glamour company was brought to the Unlisted Securities Market by Mr Eric Morley a large minority shareholder caught the new company at an and his wife Julia.

cent of Miss World's shares in dealings started on Thursday

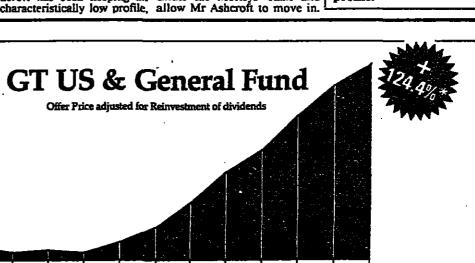
uncharacteristically low profile, allow Mr Ashcroft to move in.

Mr Michael Ashcroft's Haw- and neither Miss World nor ley Group has snapped up 14.99 Hawley's brokers, Capel-Cure per cent of the Miss World Myers, were able to divine his Mr Ashcroft's appearance as

But with more than 50 per awkward moment with Mr ent of Miss World's shares in Morley in Scotland for a beauty the Morleys' hands, Mr Ashcroft cannot bid and win
control. He paid between 60p
said Mr Ashcroft had told him and 130p for the shares when said Mr Ashcroft had told him it was a "benign investment"

and yesterday morning.

Any issue of shares by Miss
Since his involvement in the World to expand – which is
Dowable consortium's bid for likely because it is now only a Cope Allman International, Mr one product business - would Asheroft has been keeping an dilute the Morleys' stake and



United States: seize the opportunities with GT

MAY JUNE JULY AUG SEPT OCT NOV DEC

The major recovery in the US market, which began last August, signals a strong upturn in the US economy. The upturn, although continuous, is proving patchy, with some industries doing far better than others. Thus concentration on growing, well-managed companies, the key point of GT's investment strategy, could be expected to give a better result than the market averages. In the 12 months to 1st April, 1983 the Standard & Poors index rose by 34.4% or, expressed in sterling by 63.0%. In the same

ustion Trustee: Lloyds Bank Pic, 71 Lombard Street, London EC3P 3BS. The trust is authorised by the Department of Trade and qualifies as a 'wider range' investment under the Trustee Investment Act, 1961. The offer price of units on 12th April 1983 was 490.9p and the est gross yield was 0.4%.
Applications will be acknowledged and certificates will be issued
within six weeks. An initial charge of 5% is included in the offer price. An annual charge of 1% + V.A.T. of the capital value of the Fund is deducted from the gross income of the Fund to defray management expenses. Subject to this annual charge, and not of tex, income is allocated to Unitholders each 21st June and 21st December. (First payment in response to this advertisement will be 21st June 1983). Units may be sold back at any time at the bid

period GT US and General went up by 124.4% and thereby out-performed not just other Unit Trusts investing in the US, but all other UK Authorised Unit Trusts. As the recovery is being powered primarily

by a fall in inflation, GT believes that this upturn will prove exceptionally long-lived and that Wall Street is still in a major uptrend. GT's concentration on high quality, growth companies promises to continue yielding superior returns.

price ruling on receipt of your renounced certificate and payment will normally be made in 7 days. Prices of units and yields are quoted in the National Press and following an initial purchase, they may be bought in multiples of ten. Commission is paid to recognised agents out of the ruitial charge (Rates available on request). The Managers are GT Unit Managers Ltd., 16 Finsbury Circus, London EC2. Registered in London No. 903827. Members of the Unit Trust Association. This offer is not available to residen

An investment in any unit trust should be considered long term and it should be remembered that the price of units and the income from them can

GT UNIT I MANAGERS

Park House 16 Finsbury Circus London EC2M 7D or Tel: 01-628 8131

I/We enclose a cheque for the amount to be invested. account designated, i.e. 'A', 'B'or with the minor's initials. Tick box if dividends are to be reinvested □

I/We wish to invest the sum of £_____

Full Forenames. Block letters (Fleate state Mr., Mrs., Miss, or Title)

(minimum £500) in units of GT US & GENERAL FUND at the price ruling on the day you receive this application. Cheques should be made payable to GT Unit Managers Ltd. If you normally use an agent please pass this application to him or complete the details in the box. An account cannot be opened in the name of a minor but applications can be made by an adult and the

AGENT'S NAME & ADDRESS

£11m offer for Benn Brothers A rift between members of held by Mr Timothy Benn, the not welcome Shareholders were the Benn family, which includes former joint chairman and advised to take no action. Mr Tony Benn, the Labour managing director of the com-politician, has opened the way pany, and friends of his within of United Newspapers, said that

for an £11m takeover bid for the family. Benn Brothers, the family United has also acquired publishing company, by United another 1.5 per cent holding to Newspapers. bring its total holding to 14.5 Newspapers.
The United Newspapers offer

of seven shares in United for formally announced. every ten shares in Bean values the Benn ordinary shares at Mr Timothy Benn was ousted 149p each, while a cash as chairman of the company last alternative arranged by mer-chant bankers Samuel Montagu values each Benn share at

The bid was made possible sation for his dismissal for the when United Newspapers, which publishes Punch magawhich publishes Punch magafour years to run,

it which publishes Punch magafour years to run,

it is a sum of provincial in the publishes punch magafour years to run,

four years to run,

four

per cent when the bid was

'Punch' publishers step in after family rift

December after policy differences and board dissatisfaction with his style of leadership. He received £119,000 in compenloss of a contract which had

appeared in Europe, and short-

he hoped to complete the takeover amicably. He said that the acquisition fitted United Newspaper's plans to increase its magazine publishing activities and that Benn's magazines would become the main component of the enlarged group's magazine and publishing activi-If the acquisition is successful

one third of United Newspapers profits would come from magazines. Last year Benn Brothers made pretax profits of

Kwik Save profits expand to £12.3m

Kwitk Save Discount Group Half-year to 26-2-83 Pretax profit £12.3m (£10.7m) Stated earnings 7.88p (7.35p) Turnover £267.m (£235.2m) Net interim dividend 2.3p (2p) Share price 296p+10p Yield 2.9%

Kwik Save Discount Group. the cut price supermarket chain, has languishd in stock market terms at the bottom of an than £15m, which came partly underperforming sector. Yet the from its £12m rights issue last pretsz profit at the interim stage. pretax profit at the interim stage is up from £10.7m to £12.3m and the full-year results are expected to be about £26.5m, heavily on new stores and heavily on new stores. against £23.6m.

The company has been opening a new warehouse in the expanding from its northern North, to help generate inbase, and will have about 345 creased sales. stores by the end of the year. In The market believes that a little good news to come in, and Year to 31.12.82 the first half, it opened 20 stores further rise in the dividend will the market will probably be Pretax loss 22.98m (£422,000 to 10.000). and closed I, and since then a be possible at the final. Thus

Street groups. Other improvements in profit Gilts came from the concessionaire rentals, including Coleman Meat, which rose from

£2.18mto £2.56m. Kwik Save finished last year with a net cash surplus of more net interest received was up

The group has been spending heavily on new stores, and is

The market believes that a Kwik Save has been success- only slightly above the market, at a high level in April, and Share price 20p down 24pp fully increasing its market and way behind those for other takeovers should give a strong

The M&G unit trust people have a nice record of success

meeting a bigh and steadily increasing moune with prospects of capital growth as well, indeed, the total gross decisied on an investment of 2,000 at the Fund learnch was £257 in the last year Trestmen Barclary, Bank Trust Co. Luested Distribusion delay (income units

range of Japaness securities, embassing all aspects of the economy, the sale objective is long-term capital growth Transfers Lloyds Bank Pic. Distribution dates (focusione units only), 28th June and 29th Daccarber, next distribution date for new investors; 29th June 1983.

INSOVERY FUND
Invests for capital prowift or companies which take fallen on hard times, a "apeculative" policy which has proved outstandingly successful in the past Lusses axist he expected when a company data to exceive but the effect of a farmound can be dramatic. Thruston: Barcleys Sook Flust Co. Londed. Distribution datas in companies of the companies of th

Situations ...

Gilts are showing signs of consolidation. While there was a very strong start to the week on hopes of an interest rate cut as sterling recovered, the new medium tap has now bogged the market down.

Until the rest of the stock is moved (and there was some switching into it yesterday), the market looks set to mark time and there will be little progress for a couple of weeks.

is expected until United States rates start to drop. That leaves little good news to come in, and waiting for institutional cash flows to build up again. While further four stores have been the prospective price earnings flows to build up again. While opened.

The prospective price earnings flows to build up again. While opened.

The prospective price earnings flows to build up again. While opened.

share. And it has the advantage food retailing groups, is looking of fighting against the independent of fighting against the independent of the independent of the institutions' net cash position, gilt coupons are at only reasonable levels. There boost to the institutions' net cash position, gilt coupons are has felt the cold wind of at only reasonable levels. There diminishing consumer expendiare several large rights issues, predominately Standard Charand competitive prices for and competitive prices for any control of the control tered's £101m issue.

steeply downwards, and this has and trying to sell off some if its brought the switching into the shops, it went deeper into the medium dates. On the week, red in the second half. shorts are up a half to a quarter

or a couple of weeks. No fresh cut in interest rates and Wallpaper

Turnover £39.5m (£39.6m) Net final dividend nil (1.5p)

LONDON METAL EXCHANG

paint. Borrowings are up, and The yield curve is quite while it has been cutting cost

There should be some imof a point, mediums are unchanged and longs are up a point. Index-linked stocks gain about an eighth.

Leyland Paint

There should be some improvements this year, although the market is not expecting a return to dividend. Some of the shops may be sold, realizing about £2m, of which £1m ill probably be used to reduce the borrowing. The benefits of past cuts will begin to be seen, although there will be further

spending on redundancy. were both improving by the end of the second half. Trhis trend

COMMODITIES

SOYABEAN MEAL

MEAT AND LIVESTOCK

180 ¬p

170 -

140-130-

120-

100-

particularly

Losses in 1982 reduced revenue reserves, but a valuation shows that net asset value per share is now about 51p. As that is more than double the share price, it may start some rumours in these present specu-

There are hopes that the company could be back at break-even by the half-year and into profits at about £250,000 by the full year.

Glaxo's share price motors on ahead of three drug launches in the United States, and forecasts Sales volumes and margins to £200m this year and from the second half. Their trend broken through £9 a share, the has continued in 1983, even next target would be £10. at though there was a slow start, which level brokers Fielding, the company says.

Newson-Smith suggest that Exports for both paint and holdings be lightened

Turkish banks face stricter controls

banking and financial system, after months of chaos, is set for

under stricter control. the capital markets.

Details have yet to emerge, but Mr Kafaogiu wants to restructure the banks and set up some kind of formal capital

were used to "cheap money" shake-up is expected to follow suddenly found themselves shortly.

Istanbui (Reuter - Turkey's plunged into fierce competition

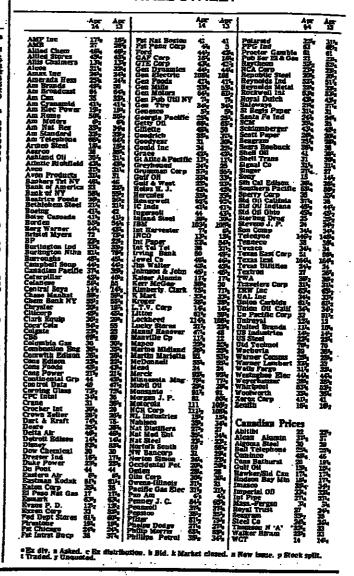
Dozens of brokerage houses a facelift which according to Mr also sprang up selling bank Adnan Baser Kafaoglu, the certificates of deposit and Adnan Baser Raises to bonds, as well as lending to finance minister, will lead to bonds, as well as lending to sounder financial institutions industry, to fill the vacuum left nder stricter control. by the absencer of an estab-Earlier this month the ruling lished capital market and military leaders assented to a competed with banks for savers' law to change by decree most deposits by offering huge rates legislation covering banks and of interest.

> Rates for depositors soared to more than 50 per cent a year from near 15 per cent.

After a special meeting with market ending a period of low representatives of all 45 dom-profits, shut-downs and con-fusion in the financial sector. Turkey, Mr Kafaoghi set up a fusion in the financial sector. Turkey, Mr Kafaoghi set up a Present difficulties began joint working committee to when controls were lifted on study changes he says have interest rates after a tough already been drafted. The monetarist policy was introduced to curb inflation.

The banks, which up to then Friday and the length promised

WALL STREET



by professionals and minitals the risk of loss by op in a wide spread of different constants. Mildi-counted mail trasts in Britain) over message with mads totaling some £950,000,000. that funds totaling some £950,000,000.

Unit trusts are a lang-term investment and not suitable or enemy you says send at short motion. The price of units of the income from them may go down as well as up.

The five M&G unit trusts described below have parcelar appeal in the present investment climate. Use the ran below to buy mats in the Fund of your choice.

ANACTICANTECEOPYSAY SUND. A Fund with the sole intensive of capital growth over the long term, designed to invest in shares in the USA and Cassala which are considered by MAG to be understed in the stock market. Breaster: Lloyds Bank Pic Blashbatton dates forcome exits only). 20th June and 20th December; next distribution date for new investors: 20th June 1963.

OCHERUNGOSOWIH FEND
Invests solely for capital growth with
all records automatically represented. The Fund invests in a compact portion
of shares at companies with proven reanagement. A proportion of the
Fund may be invested in the Unicited Securities Marties (ISAN) Translates.

The Fund may be invested in the Unicited Securities Marties (ISAN) Translates.

Barclays Bank Trust Co. Limited. Accounting periods The Fuerls year gods in late April Unit holders receive reports in June and December.

INVIDEND-FUND. Auns for a yield at least 50% higher than that of the FT. Actuanes All Share Index. The Fund is suitable for investors

READ THIS TABLE BEFORE INVESTING	AMERICAN RECOVERY	COMPOUND GROWTH	BIVIBERD	JAPAN & SENERAL	RECOVERY
Launch date and pince equivalent	JULY '79 50p	DEC '68 50p	MAY '64 50p	APR '71 50p	MAY '69 12%p
Price of Accumulation units at 13th April 1983 and estimated current gross yield	171.9p 1.11%	235.7p 3.24%	487.4p 7.11%	256.8p 0.55%	186.8p 3.94%
% rise in Fund offer price since launch date	244%	371%	875%	414%	1,394%
% risa in F.T. Ordinary Index over same period*	57%t	133%	303%	288% **	175%
*All order percentage was have been adjusted to include relovested (Door Joses Industrial Index. *** The New Tokya Index.	i acars.				

3. (1		ECUPITIES LAUTED THREE OUP Investment CLOSS in any o nal los sectionent data: Year Cert	der Frank MD MOT SERVA	(827 881 18. 81- MIT WENNEY, (A co.)	676 4568 (cac) note yell by	22 il ju skip	d eracyl jahra anty
	O2 FULL FORESAMESS (SERVANE)		PLEASE INVEST (delate as applicable Growth sales available	h or Acceptables	; ;		med .
	O4 MONESS		balow for equal pro- recept of this appli- tic NALS Divident I	portons saless alle cesen if no Feed is	rven viicitei Sistiai, jour) at the price rule tower will be see	PG (P1
			AMERICAN RECOVERY	COMPOUND GROWTH		JAPAN & GENERAL	RSCOVERY
			SENTIRE		•		Harris Alst

COMPANY NEWS IN BRIEF

Scottish Television's pretax profits fell from £2.33 to £1.89m in 1982. This was after charging the Channel 4 subscription of £2.35m, compared with nil for 1981 and the Exchaquer levy of £1.9m, against £3.12m in 1981. Turnover expanded from £32.99m to £39.94m. The final dividend is unchanged at 7.5p gross a share, but because of the increased interim payment, the total goes up from 10p to 10.5p gross. Scottish Television's board warns that the Channel 4 subscription, together with STV's own cost increases, will mean that profits in 1983 will be that profits in 1983 will oe under some strain.

retax profit,£1.89m (£2.33m). Stated earnings, 16.67p (28.4p). Turnover, £39.94m (£32.99m). Net dividend, 7.35p (7.9p).

 S. Jerome and Sons (Holdings): With lower profits from its electronics activities and a loss on the textile side. S. Jerome and the textule side, S. Jerome and Sons (Holdings) saw its pretax profits slump from £520,000 to £22,000 in 1982. Total turnover was virtually unchanged at £12.62m, against 1981's £12.61m. The total dividend per share is being effectively maintained at 3.84p gross. However, the board believes there will be a return to a "meaningful level of profitability" in meaningful level of profitability" in

S: Jerome and Sons (Holdings) Year to 31.12.82 Pretax profit, £22,000 (£520,000) Stated earnings, 3.38p (6.76p) Turnover, £12.62m (£12.61m)

Adwest Group Half-year to 31.12.82 Pretax profit, £2.4m (£2.26m) Nei Interim dividend, 2.1p (2.1p)

F. Miller (Textiles) Year to 15.2.83

retax profit £2.43m (£2.39m) Stated earnings 8.04p (7.73p)
Turnover £9.03m (£8.58m)
Net final dividend 1.6p, mkg 2.7p Share price 123p, down 8p. Yield:

Net dividend, 2.689p (2.689p)

Arrow Chemicals Holdings Year to 31.12.82 Pretax profit £360,000 (£148,000) Stafed earnings 2.13p (3.03p) Turnover £6.36m (£5.63m) Net dividend 1.0p (nil)

Base Lending Rates

ABN Bank	10	%
Berclays	10	%
BCCI	104	%
Consolidated Crds	101	%
C. Hoare & Co	10	%
Lloyds Bank	107	%
Midland Bank	10	%
Nat Westminster	104	%
TSB	104	%
Williams & Glyn's	10	%
# 7 day deposits on sums of £10,000. 67,%; £10,000	, 2	des So

Europe: seize the opportunities Whilst the attention of most of the world's environment in many continental countries is

MAY JUNE JULY AUG SEPT OCT NOV DEC

GT European Fund

investors has been focussed on the USA, Japan and the UK, many European markets have been booming. In the past twelve months GT European Fund has risen by no less than 82.8%, and in the last three months by 56.5%.

The rise in unit prices and the underlying markets reflect a fundamental change in the key factors affecting company profitability and share prices in Europe.

For many years the climate in Europe had been unfavourable to investment and profits. Now the economic outlook and political

General Information Trustee: Lloyds Bank Pic, 71 Lombard Street London EC3P 3BS. The trust is authorised by the Department of Trade and qualifies as a wider range investment under the Trustee investment Act, 1961. The offer price of units on 12th April 1983 was 1803p and the est gross yield was 1.3%. Applications will be acknowledged and certificates will be issued within six weeks. An initial charge of 5% is included in the offer price. An annual charge of 1% + V.A.T. of the capital value of the Fund is deducted from the gross income of the Fund to defray management expenses. Subject to this annual charge, and net of tax, income is allocated to Unitholders each 21st April and 21st October. (First payment in response to this advertisement will be 21st October 1983). Units may be sold back at any time at the bid

I/We wish to invest the sum of £

radically altering in favour of investment. The changes include, for example, tax incentives for share purchases, lower wage settlements and reduced rates of company taxation. Reinforcing these structural changes are lower oil prices and the beginnings of an economic recovery. GT believes these changes will continue to have a

favourable effect on share prices. GT European Fund provides an actively managed and selective portfolio designed to maximise the growth opportunities in the major continental markets - Sweden, Holland, France, Switzerland and Germany.

price ruling on receipt of your renounced certificate and payment will normally be made in 7 days. Prices of units and yields are quoted in the National Press and following an initial purchase, they may be bought in multiples of ten. Commission is paid to recognised agents out of the initial charge (Rates available on request). The Managers are GT Unit Managers Ltd., 16 Finsbury Circus, London EC2. Registered in London No. 903827. Members of the Unit Trust Association. This offer is not available to residen of the Republic of Pederd. of the Republic of Ireland.

An investment in any unit trust should be considered long term and it should be remembered that the price of units and the income from them can (minimum £500) in units of GT EUROPEAN FUND at the price ruling

If you normally use an agent please pass this application to him or complete the details in the box. I/We enclose a cheque for the amount to be invested. An account cannot be opened in the name of a minor but applications can be made by an adult and the account designated, i.e. 'A', 'B'or with the minor s initials. Tick box if dividends are to be reinvested [ACENT'S NAME & ADDRESS

on the day you receive this application. Cheques should be made payable to GT Unit Managers Ltd.

(in the case of joint applications all most eign and provide use Full Forenames.

M&G CAPITAL BUILDER

How tax relief increases your savings

110.5%

109.4%

107.0%

102.3%

Up to 35

The M&G Capital Builder Plan is designed for investors who wish to build up capital out of regular savings. Because it includes life assurance cover M&G reclaim tax on your behalf and add it to your payments (provided that your total life assurance premiums

language in England No. 90776. Ren. Office as above This office is not a

do not exceed the greater of £1,500 p.a. or one sixth of your Your money is invested in the M&G Bond Fund of your choice from the list in the application form below. You can switch from one Fund to

another at any time, subject to a small fee (currently £10). Anyone aged 18 to 55 can start a plan. The minimum net payment is £12 a month and there is no maximum. Your plan matures after 20 years, but you can cash it in whenever you like after one years premiums have been paid.

year's premiums have been paid.

The future value of your plan will depend on your starting age and the performance of the Fund you choose. For example, if a man of 35 started a £20 net a month plan and the unit price grew at an average arrural rate of 10%, he could expect to receive £14,440 after 20 years for a total net outlay of £4,800. The unit price refacts the value of the assets held in the Fund and will fluctuate accordingly.

The plan proundes immediate life cover of 15 times your gross annual premium (i.e. the amount you pay plus tax relief), four first two years' premiums buy Capital units; subsequent premiums buy Accumulation units. The offered prices of both units include a 5% initial charge Accumulation units carry an annual charge of 44%. Although you can cash in your plan at any time after you have paid one years premiums you are recommended not to do so for at least four years, to avoid a fortest of lax relief. Accumulation units are always excastled for their bid value; there is a deduction from Capital units on each of their bid value; there is a deduction from Capital units on each of their value after two years, increasing by 4% for each subsequently year. Accumulation brit prices are reported daily at the Friencial Times and Capital unit prices are reported daily at the Friencial Times and Capital unit prices are reported daily at the Friencial Times and Capital unit prices are reported daily at the Friencial Times and Capital unit prices are reported daily at the Friencial Times and Capital unit prices are reported daily at the Friencial Times and Capital unit prices are reported faily at the Friencial Times and Tapital unit of the prices are reported faily at the Friencial Times and Tapital units on capital gains to reflected in the price of units. Actual rights as between pricyholders and the Company will be governed solely by the terms of the policies and a specimen policy form is available on request.

£12-£14 £15-£19 £20-£39 £40 upwards

112.9%

105.8%

NOTES: The percentages apply to both men and women, and assume acceptance on normal terms and tax relief at 15%. If the rate changes, the

114.1% 117.6% 121.1%

116.4%

109.4%

102.3%

120.0%

112.9%

TO: M&G LIFE, THREE QUAYS, TOWER HILL, LONDON EC3R 6BQ. et LE FERN TO PAY (September 512) est se les tax refer ests inners) (september 512) est se les tax refer est se l TELEPHONE 01-626 4588. DECLARATION If you cannot sign Part B ow delete it and sign Part A only. If A 10ESLARE THE top produced will be part by my choice ringed expenses.

I onclose my chaque for the Tirst set exactly payou
ryelfe to Mildi Life Ascuracce Company Limited. I sudesti to Managed Bond. AUSTRALASIAN COMMODITY Contract between on and ISSE Life Armanics Company Limited

1 DECLARE TWO to the best of my beginning

PART 8 1 DECLARE TWO to the best of my beginning years a DECLARE THAT is the best of wy buter I am in yout health and from how disease; I have not was ray services finate or major appearance; I do not coping a day largerates appearancy presents and the prospect on any life has over been appearancy treated. (You recent decision as legal fillary to belience to SESSECTION of the propagation point of the prospect of the propagation produced by the propagation of the propagation produced by the propagation of the propagation produced by the produced the propagation of allocat the benefits purpose. far eastern CELT PROEX-LINKED GALT OCCUPATION AND CB 481613

THE M&G GROUP



EUROPEAN

GT UNIT III

Park House 16 Finsbury Circus London EC2M 7DF or Tel: 01-628 8131

MANAGERS

FUND

Holiday cash

Policy rejigged

National Employers' Mutual has rejigged its personal accident policy, cutting some rates and providing a new "easy to read" guide (which still requires some time and a cold towel for proper comprehension). Among the benefits provided are compensation for death, loss of a limb, loss of sight, speech or hearing or permanent or temporary disablement, arising from an accident in a variety of situations, including amateur sports situations, including amateur sports, hijack, and upholding the law. The cost varies according to the

would-be policyholders' occupation. Shopkeepers are safe, landscape gardeners, vets and furniture removers metal merchants, professional sportsmen and circus artists, among

Penny gambie

Arbuthnot Securities has launched a new fund to invest in "penny stocks" – companies whose share prices are very low. Such companies are generally speculative, and Arbuthnot admits that some of its investments will be risky. But the fund managers hope to offset the risks by buying a wide spread of shares, and are aiming for "spectacular" capital

performance. The fund is the first of its kind, although various recovery funds have made similar investments in the past. The minimum investment in Arbuthnot's fund is \$200.

Extra interest

Bristol and West has launched an Extra Interest Account paying 1 per cent above the ordinary share rate on minimum investments of £1,000. Withdrawals are subject to one month's notice but money is available on demand with one month's loss of interest.

The current return on the Extra The current return on the Extra Interest Account is 7.25 per cent net of basic rate tax (equivalent to 10.36 per cent grossed up). The new account complements the Bristol and West Plus Account which pays 7 per cent net (10 per cent grossed up). Withdrawals on the Plus Account can be made on demand, with no interest penalty – the minimum investment is also £1,000.

Mortgage package
Northern Rock, the Odd Fellows, and
Manchester Unity Life Insurance have
put together a mortgage package in
which the monthly payments go down,
rether than up, at the end of the first 10
years.

Initial payments (£126.46 a month, for a man of 30 borrowing £17,000 over 25 years) are split between interest to the building society, permiums on a mortgage protection polity through Odd Fellows, and premiums on a 10-year endownment with Manchester Unity. At the end of the 10 years the Manchester Unity payments stop but the fund – invested in a Northern Rock deposit account – continues to roll up.

deposit account - continues to roll up. Borrowers ger big tax advantages (since Manchester Unity is a friendly society); Northern Rock gets extra deposits. Is Manchester Unity taking on endowment business on "an enlarged scale" or of "a new character"? If so, the chief register may have to impose restrictions on who can benefit from its

Mortgage best buy

policies - though Manchester Unity is confident that this won't happen.

As well as reports on slimming products, shampoos and car servicing, this month's Which?, magazine advises on the type of mortgage you should have under the new tax relief arrangements.

It looks in detail at level repayment mortgages, increasing repayment mortgages, the various types of endowment mortgages and personal pension plan mortgages.



Adrian Collins: join effort

Beat the taxman

Lancashire & Yorkshire Assurance and Gartmore's Adrian Collins have joined to produce a new tax-efficient savings scheme, to be known as the Balanced Portfolio. Half the money invested through the Balanced Portfolio will go into Gartmore's British Trust (UK could be able to the part will be into continuous and produced the country of the state and the part will be also be able to the part will be a leaved. equities), while the other half will go into Lencashire & Yorkshire's Capital Secure

Since Lancashira & Yorkshire is a

friendly society, the contributions (minimum of £10.50 a month; maximum of £20.50) attract tax relief, roll up free of tax, and can be cashed in at the end of the 10 years' saving period free of any tax liability.

Spice of Life

Premium Life is adding two new unitlinked funds to its existing range: Premium Life Japan, and Premium Life Gilt. Premium Life uses a variety of outside specialists to manage its unit-linked funds, rather than linking up with one investment house as most companies do. Premlum Life Japan will invest through GT's Japan and General Fund, while Premium Life Gilt will use the new Allen Harvey & Ross Gilt Fund.

Hotel policy

The AA Insurance Services has introduced a special policy for hotels, pubs and guesthouses.

The policy is aimed at establishments with fewer than 25 beds and covers them against accidental loss or damage of contents less of profess they also.

contents; loss of profits through . unforeseen disruptions – such as having

of buildings insurance and £30,000 worth of buildings insurance and £30,000 worth of contents cover, the premium would by £425. The policy also offers a variety of extra options, including cover against spoilage of frozen food at £5 per £100 insured.

هكذا من رلامل

Trusts launch

GRE Unit Trust Managers is to launch four new unit trusts over the next few months. The first, which was launched yesterday, is the GRE Pacific Trust, providing long term capital growth through investment in Japan, Australia, Singapore, Malaysia and Hongkong. The second, in early May, will be GRE Smaller Companies.

With both of these funds, income will be reinvested at a two per cent discount.

to close the hotel because of contagious disease (but not a rail strike); glass

breakage (including sanitary fittings); compensation to a staff member for

assault; and third party legal liabilities. For a 20-bed hotel with 2100,000 worth

be reinvested at a two per cent discount on the then offer price. GRE Property Share will be launched at the end of May and GRE Equity in mid-June. The initial offer price for each trust will be 100p. held for seven days, with special introductory discounts of two per cent for all applications resulting. The minimum application will be for 250 units.

<u>Insurance</u>

Cheap loans from life policies

take several years to build up a pared to lend. However, there worthwhile value. are companies such as

In the case of with profits endowment policies, the buildup is quicker. For example, with a 15-year contract, the surrender value is likely to match the money you have paid in after five years. With a 25-year policy, it will be about 10 years before you reach this position.

The proportion of the surrender value that can be borrowed varies from company to company. Most offices, though, are prepared to lend 90 per cent on most contracts, although possibly less for a whole life or a non-profit contract.

The costs and paperwork do not make very small loans worthwhile, so most offices fix a

dard Life which have no You will not be able to claim minimum, while Scottish Life tax relief on the loan, unless it is will consider a loan as small as being used for a qualifying £5. For most offices the purpose, such as extending your minimum is between £50 and home. £5. For most offices the

Rates of interest charged on policy loans are about 12-13 per cent. Some policyholders will be luckier. American Life, for instance, charges 10 per cent, while the Royal National Pension Fund for Nursing, which limits its contracts to nurses, charges 12 per cent at present, or 10 per cent if it is a non-profit contract: Clerical, Medical asks for 11.5 per cent against its non-profit policies.

borrowing on a bank overdraft, which can cost you up to 15 per cent or on your credit card, where on an annualized basis the interest rate is well over 20

Most insurance companies lend on a variable interest rate, which changes in line with market conditions. However, their rates tend to be less sensitive to the market than those of the banks, and slower

However, a great attraction of a policy loan is that it dos not have to be repaid. It can remain outstanding until the policy matures, when it will be offset against the maturity or claim value. Another plus point is that, as long as you keep on paying your premiums, you can always go back to the insurance company to borrow more, as the surrender value of your

Mike Hockings

Security **Incentive** plan to cut crime

Insurance companies should stop wailing about the increase in household theft (up by 27 per cent since 1981), and do something to encourage householders to protect themselves. So says Mr Victor Green, publisher of Security Surveyor, and organizer of the Home Security Exhibition that is running at Olympia this

Mr Green believes that insurance companies should be prepared to offer a discount on their home contents premiums to householders who can prove that they have spent money on theft prevention. That way, he says, householders way, save on their premiums insurance companies would save on their claims, and the police would save on the time that they waste on what is, in many cases, relaunsophisticated crime. relatively

Royal Insurance, one of the biggest in the area of home contents, says that this is an old chestnut. "We encourage and in some cases require people to protect their homes to a reasonable level before we will give them cover at standard rates", a spokesman says. In London and other metropolitan areas, for instance, Royal requires the installation of security locks on all doors and accessible windows, costing between £100 and £150 for an average house.

"It's no use requiring evidence of expenditure," Royal says. "Unless the right equipment is installed, in the right way, it will probably be

worse than useless." If you want some ideas on beating the burglars, the Home Security Exhibition ends tomorrow (admission £1, or 50p for children and

Investment

Keeping returns safe as interest rates slip

The fall in interest rates is all very well for the people who want to borrow money – although they should investigate the alternatives before they income bonds.

You can get over 11 per cent on a term deposit with Finance for Industry (FFI), but there are even better deals among the income bonds. go to the bank. But what about

rates mean shrinking income, year guaranteed income bond unless they tied up their money (minimum investment £1,000).

when rates were higher. And

If it is important to you to be even then, unless they are able to have access to your cheque book facility invested in undated gilts, the money then the money funds money will one day, have to be are the best answer, provided to both the Save & you have the minimum re-

It is still possible to get 11½ per cent for your money, or even more, providing that you do not mind risking the capital and/or waiting a long time

The higher the return, however, the higher the risk. There is a Zimbabwe Annuity offering 20.43 per cent in perpetuity; b that looks little safer than stroll through the bush Matabeleland.

investing in a British govern ment or corporation stock however, could hardly b described as playing with fire. in real terms, these stocks a

offering a handsome return And if inflation and interes rates fall further they wi appreciate in value - although anyone who takes profits withave to find a new (and probably lower-yielding) hom ter their money.

if you want to be certain o getting your capital back, you will have to lock your mone away for some time - or resig courself to the fact that th return on your investment

the people who need income offering 8.5 per cent net from their investments? (equivalent of 12.14 per cent to For them declining interest a basic rate taxpayer), on a four-

happening in the money markets; and rates quoted are not necessarily strictly comparable.

The 10.65 per cent quoted on the Save & Prosper fund, for example, assumes that you leave your money in for a year With most of these funds you have to give seven days' notice of withdrawal, but there is a cheque book facility with a high minimum withdrawal attached

to both the Save & Prosper and

INCOME FROM YOUR INVESTMENTS

to		Fixed capi	tal	
w- ere	- d	Yield (%)	Minimum investment	Withdrawa notice
ing out a in ck, be	Deposit accounts Monthly income Fixed-term deposits Building societies: Ordinary shares Term shares FFI deposits National Savings:	6% 9% 9-9% 8.93* 9.64-10.36* 10%-11%	£1 £1,000-£2,500 £2,500 £1 £500 £1,000	3 mths-1 y nil 1-5 years 3-10 years
are m. est	Investment account Income bond Money funds	101/2* 11** 10-10.65*	£1 £2,000 £1,000-£5,000	1 month 1 year † 7 days**
rill gh rill	V	ariable cap	oital ' Yield %	Price
nd ne	Gilts: Exchaquer 1215% 1990 -Exchaquer 1014% 1995		11.54 10.86	£10514 £9814
of ou ey	Corporation stock: Leads unsecured 13½% 20 FFI stock: 12½unsecured toan 1992	006	11.8 12.00	£113¾ £103½
gn he its	Variable † Penalties for early withdraws Some have chequebook facility	i ities	·	

158 Kentish Town Read, London NW5 2BT. 01-267 2971/2/3

Mornington Money Mornington Building **EOUIVALENT TO**

TSB BASE RATE

With effect from the close of business on Thursday, 15th April, 1983 and until further notice TSB Base Rate will be 10% per annum



TRUSTEE SAVINGS BANKS

Central Board,

P.O. Box 33, 3 Copthall Avenue, London EC2P 2AB



CANE OF SCOTLAND

Base Rate

The Bank of Scotland intimates that, with effect from 15th April, 1983, and until further notice, its Base Rate will be decreased from 101/2% PER ANNUM to 10% PER ANNUM.

LONDON, BIRMINGHAM, BRISTOL & MANCHESTER OFFICES - DEPOSITS

The rate of interest on sums lodged for a minimum period of seven days or subject to seven days' notice of withdrawal will be 634% PER ANNUM, also with effect from 15th April, 1983.

borrowing money at less than market rates, no questions asked and repayment entirely at your own discretion? Better than you might think. Many people have access to just such loans, without realizing it.

What are the chances of

Most insurance companies are prepared to lend money against the security of their conventional life policies, although there is very little publicity about the service. Unfortunately, the popular unit-linked contracts rarely provide this facility.

How much a company will lend depends on the surrender value of the policy, and whether it is an endowment or whole life policy, with profits or not, and how long it has been in

Most life policies build up a surrender value only slowly. Indeed, many companies do not even quote a surrender figure until you have paid at least two years' premiums. After that, the amount of money you get back depends on the type of policy you have. With a whole life contract, for instance, it will minimum sum they are pre-

Ten days ago, The Financial Times

Since then there have been further

Which proves that, for those who want to

reported on the biggest surge in the Gilt

Market since the beginning of this year.

keep their income up and their capital protected, Gilts are once again looking good.

to glitter?

Why do Gilts continue

Gilt Edged Securities (commonly known as Gilts) are stocks issued-and guaranteed-by the

To those who buy Gilts the Government pays

a fixed rate of interest, normally over a set period. At

the end of this period, repayment of a capital sum is

66Suddenly, with sterling back above \$1.50.

pushed into the background??

Gilts traded on the Stock Market.

is through a unit trust.

ruling on that date.

all those reasons for caution in gilts could be

recently) a Gilt's fixed rate begins to offer an improved value. And this usually leads to a rise in the price of

higher interest and the chance of capital growth.

especially in periods of falling interest rates.

How to get into Gilts now

fluctuations - we believe the best way to invest in Gilts

invest in other fixed interest securities (local authority

For your guidance, the estimated gross yield on

Income Units in the TSB Gilt & Fixed Interest Unit Trust

on April 14th was 9.6%, based on the offer price of 50.9p

bonds and some public companies' loan stocks, for

example) but they will, usually, concentrate on Gilts.

When interest rates are falling (as they have done

So, the Gilt investor gets the best of both worlds:

Because the Gilt market is complex-and subject to

The TSB Gilt & Fixed Interest Unit Trust sets out to achieve a high income with long term capital growth,

The Managers of the Trust may, from time to time,

Financial Weekly, April 8, 1983

Government in exchange for the cash it has to

advances.

guaranteed.

Crusader, Eagle Star and Stan-

This is much cheaper than

Can you afford to let another ten days pass before

you get into Gilts?

THE LEX COLUMN Gilts glisten as sterling shines

The first of the part time on the common of the eight support of the common of the com

Bonus Allocation

TSB Gilt & Fixed Interest Unit Trust within 10 days of the date of this newspaper offer. o, for example, if you invest [2,000, we will add a farther [20 worth of units to Your holding FREE]

Remember, the price of units, and the income from them, can go down as well as up. You should regard your investment as being a medium to long term one.

Why invest with the TSB?

The Gilt market is an attractive one, but it needs experience, vision and flair to make the most of its investment opportunities.

Central Trustee Savings Bank Limited, the Investment Managers of the TSB Gilt & Fixed Interest Unit Trust, have all the skills needed. They are, in fact, one of the largest and most experienced dealers in the market, with a proven track record.

Invest now for a bonus

To invest in the TSB Gilt & Fixed Interest Unit Trust, simply complete the coupon below and return it to us, with your cheque, made payable to TSB Unit Trusts Limited.

Do this within the next ten days, and we will add a further 1% to

vour investment, free. That, in itself, should make you glad you chose to switch your

investment into Gilts now. THE THINGS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

The Managers of the TSB Gilt & Fixed Interest Unit Trust are TSB Unit Trusts Limited who are members of the Unit Trust Association. The Investment Managers are Central Trustee Savings Bank Limited and the Trustee is General Accident Fire and Life Assurance Corporation pk. Units in the Trust may be bought and sold on any business day Their prices and yields will be quoted in the Financial Times and other leading newspapers and may also be obtained

from any branch of the TSB. The initial management charge on every purchase of units is 31/4%, out of which

remuneration is paid to qualified intermedianes. (Rates are available on request.) A monthly management charge of 1/16th of 1% (plus VAT) of the value of the Trust is deducted from the Trust's income. (The Trust Deed allows for a maximum charge of 1/12th of 1% per month; the Managers will give unit holders at least 3 months' written notice of any change.) Net income is paid out on March 5, June 5, September 5 and

December 5 each year. We offer favourable exchange terms to investors who already hold Gilts, stocks and shares or other TSB Unit Trusts. Details are available on request.

TSB Unit Trusts Limited is a subsidiary of TSB Trust Company Limited and a member of the TSB Group.

Its registered office is at Keens House, Andover, Hampshire SP10 1PG. The company is registered in England and Wales, number 1829925.

Over. £4½million invested since

street banks, but it may come as a surprise to learn that TSB Unit Trusts are one of Britain's largest unit trust groups. At present, the funds we manage total over £340 million, spread across eight unit trusts. We are also one of the most successful groups. Indeed, figures prepared by Planned Savings in March 1983 showed that, among 15 leading groups, we're outperformed the average in every one of the last ten years, coming top in three of them and second in five.

TSB GILT & FIXED INTEREST UNIT TRUST

Bomis Application Form valid for 10 days from the date of this newspaper offer To: Andrew Ferguson, TSB Unit Trusts Limited, Keens House, Andover, Hampshire SP10 1PG Telephone (0264) 62188. I We wish to invest L (min £500) in the TSB Gilt & Fixed Interest Unit Trust, at the price ruling on the day of receipt of this application. As a general rule, Income Units will be issued to all investors and the income part o<u>ut quarteric</u> If you would prefer Accumulation Units, with income reinvested, please tick here. A bonus allocation of 1% of units will be made to those investing within ten days of the date of this advertisement. (See date in lower right hand corner of coupon.) (BLOCK CAPITALS PLEASL) Mr. Mrs. Miss. Ms (Forenames) In the case of joint applications, all applicants must sign and attach their names and addresses on a separate sheet I/We would also like details of your Gilt and Share Exchange facilities.

This affer is open only to investors who are 18 years of uge or over. It is not open to residents of the Republic of Ireland.

How to make 200% profit on the Stock Market in just 35 days

operation which involved split second timing. we advised our subscribers to buy Bio-Isolates (Holdings) Ltd at 110p.

At 9am on December 15th, we told them

that "if you want a really quick profit" sell at

330p.

By acting quickly on our inside information readers who sold in December made 200% profit in just five weeks. Those who ignored our advice saw the shares rise to 440p (+300%) but they have since fallen dramatically.

It may surprise you to hear that to our regular subscribers this is not an exceptional

Over the last year, taking into account all losses, they will have seen a spectacular growth in the shares we recommended.

Are you free to act quickly?

The secret of this financial success is Stock Market Confidential (SMC), posted to subscribers first class every Wednesday evening. In it we make comprehensive buying and selling recommendations, offer sound investment analysis and, most important of all, suggest three hot tips for

The proven way to make a **killing**

If you examine our investment tipping record for 1982/3 shown you'll see that even taking into account the losses, there was an

extremely healthy growth every month.

The only way to make a killing on the
Stock Market is to have reliable advice and the ability to move fast, before the word gets around and prices rocket.

You can buy with confidence The editor of Stockmarket Confidential is Malcolm Craig; if you're a major investor or a professional stockbroker you'll probably know him personally.

Otherwise you may have read him in the financial press, or one of his highly respected investment books.

What you probably didn't know is that each week he chairs a private meeting of the SMC Board of Advisors. Together these financial specialists pool information. validate sources, and discuss the latest City whispers. At the end of the meeting they have chosen the USM 'tip of the week' and three other of the hottest tips.

We guarantee that none of these tips will be leaked by the Editorial Board, or published, except in SMC.

Which means you can act with total confidence on Thursday morning.

375-p

305-

270-

Why buy a broad international unit trust?

a range of funds tailored to each area, with low cost

still better return?

Why not concentrate on whichever market is moving

fastest and use GT's expertise in that market to achieve a

For investors with the time to follow the world's

markets and prepared to accept the possible volatility that

world's markets and furthermore many investors wish to

are provided by an internationally diversified portfolio.

achieve the more stable returns and reduction of risk which

International diversification is an essential aspect

General Information Trustee: Lloyds Bank Pic, 71 Lombard Street, London EC3P 3BS. The trust is authorised by the Department of Trade and qualifies as

a wider range investment under the Trustee Investment Act, 1961. The offer price of units on 12th April 1983 was 371.8p and the est. gross yield was 0.5%.

Applications will be acknowledged and certificates will be issued within six weeks. An initial charge of 5% is included in the offer price. An annual charge of 1% + V.A.T. of the capital value of the Fund is deducted from the gross income of the Fund to defray management expenses. Subject to this annual charge, and net of ba, income is allocated to Unitholders each 21st April and 21st October. (First payment in response to this advertisement wall be 21st October 1983). Units may be sold back at any time at the bid

I/We wish to invest the sum of £____

I/We enclose a cheque for the amount to be invested.

Tick box if dividends are to be reinvested \Box

account designated, i.e. 'A', B'or with the minor s initials.

Full Forenames.

Block letters (Please state Mr., Mrs. Miss or Tule)

could result from commitment to a single market, GT offers

However, not everyone is in the position to follow the

SMC Growth Record 82/3 Top Performing Share: Security Tag Systems: +640% Average Growth Per Hot Tip (including Average holding period: 10.7 weeks

SMC Weekly Contents: **≉** Three 'Hot Tips' – act by Thursday lunchtime before other subscribers

push up the prices. # USM Tip of the Week—aimed at fast in and out profits. Comprehensive investment analysis including gold, building societies and

gilts.

* Valuable inside information for long term capital growth.

SMC is a four-page weekly news sheet available by private subscription.

FREE! £1000 PRIZE DRAW Everyone is welcome to enter our Free Prize Draw. All you have to do is tick the appropriate box on the form below and

return it to us by April 29th 1983. On Thursday May 5th, if you're the winner, you'll receive £600 to spend or invest as you please.

We'd suggest you invest it evenly across our hot tips for that week. Because if you do, and your £600 of shares aren't worth £1000 by June 2nd.we'll make up the difference in cash. That's right. We're so confident that our advice is sound we believe £600 will be worth £1000 in just four weeks

Everyone is welcome to enter our FREE Prize Draw. No purchase necessary.

GT International Fund

MAY JUNE JULY AUG SEPT OCT NOV DEC JAN FEB MAR APR

Worldwide investment:

seize the opportunities

with GT

of GT's investment strategy. From its fully staffed

investment offices in London, Hong Kong, and San Francisco,

GT maintains a 24-hour international investment coverage

consistently applying the same principles of concentration

on proven, high-quality growth companies in each market. GT's International Fund marries the group's expertise

markets and currencies. These factors determine the balance

Over the past 12 months the price of units has risen

59.2% and with world recovery still in its early stages there

price ruling on receipt of your renounced certificate and payment will normally be made in 7 days. Prices of units and yields are quoted in the National Press and following an initial purchase, they may be bought in multiples of ten. Commission is paid to recognised agents out of the initial charge (Raises available on request). The Managers are GT Unit Managers Ltd., 16 Firsbury Circus, London EC2. Registered in London No. 903827. Members of the Unit Trust Association. This offer is not available to residen

An investment in any unit trust should be considered long term and it should be remembered that the price of units and the income from them can

(minimum £500) in units of GT INTERNATIONAL FUND at the price

*Source Planned Saving

AGENT'S NAME & ADDRESS

in stock selection in individual markets to its broader

protection of an international spread.

still appears to be considerable scope.

of the Republic of Iteland.

ruling on the day you receive this application. Cheques should be made payable to GT Unit Managers Ltd.

An account cannot be opened in the name of a minor but applications can be made by an adult and the

If you normally use an agent please pass this application to him or complete the details in the box.

expertise in evaluating the relative merits of the various

of the fund at any point in time while also providing the

FREE BOOK FOR FIRST-TIME SUBSCRIBERS

SMC was originally published to help

But it's of equal value to first-timers. If you have never invested in the stock market before we'll send you a free book: "How the Stock Exchange Works, to help you squeeze the maximum profit from SMC.

HOT TIP HOTLINE

In case you're away from home on a Thursday morning, or the first post is delayed, we supply you with a confidential Hot Tip Hotline phone number, so that you can hear a summary of that weeks SMC. FREE! SIX TRIAL ISSUES

Return the completed banker's order below and we'll rush you the next six issues of SMC absolutely free.

So you can profit from our experts' invaluable advice for six whole weeks at no cost to yourself.

If you're not convinced the vital information which SMC contains is worth £144 a year just write to your bank and cancel your bankers order before the date

SAVE £72! YEAR ONE AT HALF-PRICE

In addition to six free issues you can also receive your first year's subscription to SMC at half price if you order by April 29th. So it'll cost you just £72.00 for year one. Order by April 29th 1983.

STOCKMARKET CONFIDENTIAL 57/61 Mortimer Street, London W1N 7TD

Send by 29th April It will cost you nothing to discover how profitable the information in SMC can be. Order your six free issues and enter the free prize draw today! Please send to: STOCK MARKET CONFIDENTIAL, 57/61 Mortimer Street, London WIN 7TD. Please enter me in the £1000 Please send me FREE book
"How the Stock Exchange Works" I am replying before April 29th 1983 to receive year one at half price Banker's Order Please pay to the order of Stock Market Confidential, Acc. no 91084:356 at Midland Bank Ltd. Knightsbridge 40 04 10, the sum of £72,00, two months from the date shown and thereafter the sum of £144.00 each year on the anniversary of the date shown being my membership to Stock Market Confidential and debit mylour account accordingly until countermanded by me in writing.

Miss World tests sceptics

For the first time this week ou could buy a stake in Miss

About 42 per cent of Mr Eric Morley's beauty competition company was floated on the Unlisted Securities Market (USM), and the shares soared from 60p to 133p on the first day of dealings.
The spectacular launch of the

stock poses yet another challenge to the sceptics, who believe that the popularity of a number of USM companies will be short lived. Small investors are a lot less cynical than many City institutions when it comes to the USM. They are keen to benefit from the substantial rise in share prices that is occuring in the Stock Exchange's nursery market which is now nearly two and a half years old.

But many small investors just do not have the capital to build up a reasonable USM portfolio on their own. So what can the institutions provide in the way of managed funds? Precious little at the moment.

Well over a year ago the Department of Trade increased the 5 per cent ceiling on unit trust investments in unquoted companies to 20 per cent of assets in the USM and 5 per cent in the over-the-countermarket. But there has been no rush by fund managers to change their trust deeds so that investors' money can be directed into the USM.

Fund managers of the larger unit trust groups still regard the USM with caution and scepticism. Many unit trust fund managers would not even fantasize about investing in Miss World Group. "Overpriced" was the common reac-tion as it is to many USM

Mr Richard Smith of Henderson, is particularly concerned about marketability. He recalls the security alarm company Munford & White, which had an unpopular patch shortly after its launch last year. "It was difficult to deal", he

need to raise the 5 per cent limit speculative stock Bio-Isolates ties.

on its unit trusts so far, accounts for over 4 per cent of the portfolio. aithough Lowland Investment, (an investment trust which also

manages) has between 5 and 6 per cent of its portfolio in USM stocks.

Save & Prosper is cautious about the USM too. Its steels authorised unit trusts, caution. One Gartmore fund, relaunched Smaller Companies neither of these funds is UK Smaller Companies, has restricted to the 25 per cent raised its limit, but he says "We want the USM to gain maturity. per cent ceiling, but fund limit, manager Mr John Shelley says Mo that he has not bought a single USM stock yet for the £15m

fund. His collegue, Mr Stephen per cent rise in value. Hargreaves, voices a common Mr Ian Forsyth, adviser to feeling: "We tend to avoid the trust, says that since the USM, you're at the mercy of public has become aware of the speculators; there's the market-strength of the USM in the last ability problem and our funds six months, the inflow of funds do have income needs and so has been enormous. The fund is many USM stocks don't pay now worth nearly £5m and has decent dividends."

However, S & P do have an

The fund with the greatest USM content is Britannia's topher Clarke. "We want to see Unlisted Securities Market how the USM develops.

Most of the growth in the Britannia fund, which is set up in October 1981, has come in the last 12 months, with a 48

over 1,200 unit holders. He claims that his experience

offshore, Jersey based UK in buying and selling shares has Growth Fund, worth £8m, so far been quite tolerable and which has about 10 per cent he thinks that fellow fund Henderson has not felt the invested in the USM, and the managers exaggerate the difficul-

His attitude is very different from that of Henderson's UK investment chief, Mr Chris-

IT'S BEEN A CATTLE

HARKET FOR YEARS

MISS

THE

Mr James Caulfeild, invest-

ment manager at M & G says its Smaller Companies Fund has raised its limit. USM exposure is 4 per cent of the £27m fund. He does not think it will go up to the limit, but there will certainly be increase.

Perhaps the attitude will change once the Department of . Trade sees fit to allow an authorized USM unit trust. The success of Britannia will be an imprtant barometer if other fund managers are to widen the market for the small investor.

Hilaire Gomer

Eurocheques

A cash alternative for travellers

Eurocheque guarantee card (you more than £1).
will have to pay £3.50 for the latter). Uniform Eurocheques one of the other banks, you will have to ack for change of the care can be used in banks, hotels and have to ask for a cheque retailers displaying the Euro- guarantee card that is valid in cheques sign, in Europe and the Europe. You can use this to

Near East or North Africa you not have control over the your withdrawal; but in this your travel is over. will have to make other currency conversion rate and it case you can see for yourself the arrangements.

If you bank with the Midland cheque, plus 1½ per cent of the or one of its subsidiaries, that face value when the cheque is

back your domestic cheques.

General Portfolio 8.4 per cent min

investment £1,000. 4 years General Portfolio 9-11.5 per cent min investment £1,000. 5 years Canter-

interest 10 per cent basic rate tax deducted at source (can be

reclaimed by non-taxpayers), mini-mum investment £1,000, purchased through stockbroker or

Local authority town half bends Fixed term, fixed rate investments,

interest quoted gross (basic rate tax deducted at source re-

by non-taxpayers). I year Lambeth 9½, per cent. 2–3 years Nottingham City 10½ per cent. 4–6 years Northampton 11 per cent. 7–10

years Worthing 11 per cent. Further details available from Chartered Institute of Public Finance Loans

Bureau (01-630 7401, after 3 pm).

Ordinary share accounts - 6.25 per

cent. Term shares - 1 to 5 years, between 0.5 per cent and 1 per cent over the BSA recommended

ordinary share rate depending on the term. Regular savings schemes

1.25 per cent over BSA recommended ordinary share rate.

Rates quoted above are those most commonly offered. Individual

building societies may quote different rates. Interest on all accounts paid net of basic rate tax.

Not reclaimable by non-taxpayers.

See also on Prestel no 24808.

Building societies

Finance for industry

FAMILY MONEY MARKET

higher rate taxpayers may have a further liability on maturity. Current account - no interest paid. 2 years General Portfolio 8 per cent min investment £1,000. 3 years

Deposit accounts - Midland, Barclays, Lloyds, Natwest 63, per cent, seven days notice required cent, seven days notice required for withdrawals. Monthly income account Natwest 91/8 per cent. Fixed term deposits £2,500and 6 months 9 per cent. Rates quoted by Barclays. Other banks may differ.

Money funds Seven-day deposits. Simco 7-day fund - 10.18 per cent. UDT Average Rate Deposits - 1014 per cent. Simco dollar fund - 7.80 per cent. Simco dollar fund ~7.80 per cent. Western Trust one month Money-market a/c: 9.75 per cent. Malinhall 10.1 per cent call. Tyndall 7-day fund 10.25 per cent. Save and Prosper high interest a/c 10.65 per cent. Interest paid without deduction of tax. Tulket & Riley Money market Trust Call Fund — min £10,000 10.31 per cent. 7-day fund — £2,500 10.34 per cent. Further details from: Simco 01-236 0233. UDT 01-623 3020. Tyndall 0272 732241. Western Trust 0752 261161. Mallinhall 01-499 6834. Save and Prosper 0708 66966.

Save and Prosper 0708 66966. Tullet & Riley 236 0952 National Savings Bank Ordinary accounts - interest 3 per cent or 6 per cent if \$500 is maintained, first \$70 of interest taxfree. Investment Account

101, per cent interest paid
without deduction of tax, one
month's notice of withdrawal,

naximum investment £200,000.

National Savings Certificates 25th Return totally free of income and capital gains tax; equivalent to an annual interest rate over the five-Finance for industry
Fixed term, fixed rate investments
of between 3 and 10 years, interest
paid half-yearly without deduction
of tax: 3-4 years, 10½ per cent; 5
years, 10½ per cent; 6 years, 11
per cent; 7-10 years, 11½ per cent.
Further information from FR, 91
Waterloo Road, London SE1 (01year term of 7.51 per cent, maximum investment 25,000.

National Savings Income Bond Min investment £5,000 reducing to 22,000 from 3 May - max.
2200,000. Interest - 11 per cent
variable at six weeks notice - paid
monthly without deduction of tax.
Repayment at 3 or 6 months notice

Finance house deposits (UDT)
Fixed-term, fixed-rate deposits,
interest paid without deductions of National Savings 2nd index-linked tax. Fifty-fifty scheme: 6 months 934 per cant; 1 year, 10 per cant; Maximum investment £10,000, Maximum investment £10,000, excluding holdings of other issues. Return tax-free and linked to changes in the retail price index Supplement of 0.2 per cent per month up to October 1983 paid to new investors; existing holders receive a 2.4 per cent supplement between October 1982 and October 1983 4 per cent bonus if held this 2 years, 101/2 per cent. Foreign currency deposits Rates quoted by Rothschild's Old Court Intl. Reserves 0481 26741.

seven days notice is required for withdrawal and no charge is made for switching currencies. er 1983 4 per cent bonus if held full five years to maturity. Cash value of £100 Retrement Issue certificates purchased in April 1978, £175.73 including 4 per cent bonus. February RPI: 327.3 (The new RPI

Guarantsed income Bonds Return paid net of basic rate tax, third week of the following month.)

certain things to be born in that if you cash them in.

matter what denomination you use; but if you are going to the United States there is no point in taking anything other than the dollar.

Most American banks have no experience of making currency translations and will simply refuse to do it.

 Remember that you pay for travellers' cheques when you take delivery of them, rather

tee card will not be valid from the local currency, and it is banks displaying the EC sign them to pay for things. This May I outside the United subsequently converted to ster- (but not in hotels or retailers). The means that there is no point in Kingdom; and if you want to ling and debited to your account. As with the uniform Euro- ordering them too far in draw on your current account at home. It is an ingeniously cheque, your account at home advance. Nor is there any point while you are in Europe, the simple system, though you do will eventually be debited with in hanging on to them after

involves asking for uniform drawn outside the UK. A £75 you will need travellers' cheyou bought; but you could
Eurocheques and a uniform cheque would therefore cost you ques. In that case there are probably earn far more than

In most countries it does not You do not have to pay that one per cent commision anyway. Several building societies now issue cheques commission free to their investors.

Do remember to sign the cheques (once) before you leave the office where you bought them. And don't keep the sales advice (giving their numbers) in the same handbag or hip

Adrienne Gleeson

%

%

%

And.

٠.

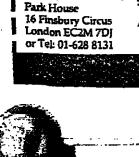
Guaranteed 2... equal to 14.28% gross Interest rates are on their way down, so it is

vital that those investors who require a high guaranteed income ACT NOW to secure the benefits of today's high rates. County Financial Services, in conjunction with one of the largest U.K. Assurance Companies, has a plan offering the following returns - assuming an investment of

Net Monthly: Income £80.32 10.10% £80.37 10.12% 70 £80.12 10.09% These income plans can be written for periods to suit individual requirements, and at all times your capital is absolutely secure. To find out the full details of this attractive scheme, complete and send the coupon below %

County Financial Services

To: County Financial Services, Orient House w Broad Street, London EC2M 1QY '. Tel: 01-628 0898 Tel: (Home). Date of birth Amount available for investment



GT UNIT

MANAGERS

INTERNATIONAL

producer and spare little cash for the unproven newcomer.

naturalistic drama.

producers.

future.

thetic hearing.

immediately, don't put it aside

for ever, there is some hope that

this kind of investment will

become tax deductable in

At present all returns on

theatre investment are taxable.

but losses are not tax deduct-

able. The Society of West End

Theatres is continually lobbying

the Treasury to provide tax relief and reports that its requst

is currently getting a sympa-

Bills have introduced measures

which in theory could provide

Patrick Donovan

At least two recent Finance

THE TIMES SATURDAY APRIL 16 1983

Alternative investment

Why theatre angels are keen on Mr Cinders' Fortune venue

The morning after the press preview of Mr Cinders - a new musical, which is due to open in the Fortune Theatre in London on April 27 - will be a tense time for the small band of private investors who have helped put up the money for the

For the reviews in their newspapers will give them a good idea of whether their gamble is going to pay off.

If this delightful musical -

which stars Dennis Lawson as a twenties-style male Cinderella goes down well, the returns on a minimum £500 stake could be substantial. But if it flops - and press reviews are rarely wrong this is money down the drain.
Whatever the outcome, these

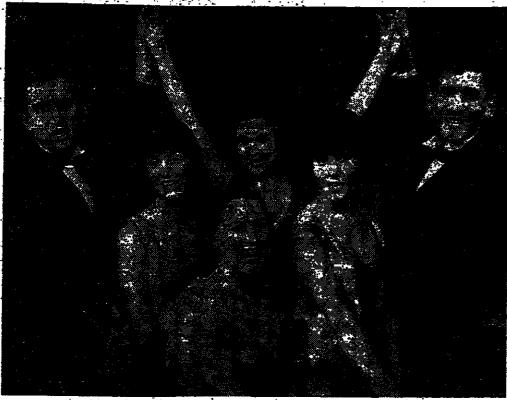
backers (or "angels" in theatre vernacular) will have had the satisfaction of knowing that their money made the pro-duction possible. For, as in so many West End shows, the capital is largely drawn from the private investor.

Mr Cinders is a good example of how this works. The show enjoyed packed houses during its run in the small Kings Head theatre pub in Islington. Producer Dan Crawford soon realised that he was on to a winner and launched a drive to raise £120,000 for a West End

The money flowed in from a surprisingly wide range of people. Two newspaper advertisements drew in £20,000 from' a City investor, while a slip in the programe attracted a steady stream of individuals and groups who clubbed together to

put down a £500 stake. The investment risk is enormous. At least two producers reckon that a new West End production has only a one-infive chance of making a profit.

If an investor backs a winner,



Mr Cinders: angels' delight

Backers will also benefit from any further spin-offs from the original production - such as films, records, tours or Broad- £12,000 which means that a make his fortune. way transfers - at the same rate. production - at the very best -Inside information suggests that could break even in 10 weeks. a stake in the long running Evita, for example, may now have paid out 500 per cent on the original investment

An average West End pro-

proportionate share in 60 more). At a rough estimate, for original stake. Backing a propercent of all profits. The other an average fleatre running costs ducton is essentially a "fun" 40 per cent goes to the may be £12,000 per week, and investment, giving the investor producing management.

there is a potential £24,000 the exciting feeling of being there is a potential £24,000 the exciting feeling of being (from a packed house) at every associated with the theatre, performance. This leaves the together with the (rather maximum earning potential at remote) possibility that he will

in reality, a hit show may only produce a return after several months, while flops fold ery quickly indeed.

Dan Crawford is adamant

No one - not even seasoned critics - can explain what makes a play a success, and there are w hard and fast rules to guide the prospective angel.

Some of the most experi-enced backers study the "form" of producers as avidly as any bookie would monitor a horse.

however, the return is substandard could cost around that no-one should contemplate tial. For a stake of £500 (the £120,000 to stage, (Elaborate backing a stage production if usual unit), an angel will get a musicals can cost £500,000 and they cannot afford to lose the

At present two kinds of productions rely on the small investor: potential West. End shows and provincial touring groups. West End ventures promise the greater returns but also carry the greater risks. Many touring groups are guaranteed minimum returns to cover their capital outlay before the tour begins.

tax relief for angels but which in the event are not practicable. Section 37 of the 1980 Finance Act, for example, allows inves-

They would tend to back any new play from a successful

Shares

مكذا من رلامل

Returns on option schemes to be cut

There was inevitable, but sad It does pay to study broa news for inventors with savingsrelated share option schemes this week, when Mr Nicholas Ridley, - the Financial Sec-retary to the Treasury, con-firmed that the 14.9 per cent trends in the theatre and invest in a style of drama which is currently in vogue. At the moment, for instance, musicals are generally doing fairly well in the West End, while there grossed up annual return that is appears to be little interest in available to the basic tax payer. and 26.1 per cent for top rate The pulling power of the stars is also particularly important, especially in the provinces payers, is too good to last. A new rate is to be fixed at the same time as the £50 a month savings limit is raised to £75. where an auditorium can be

All the same, the expansion filled by the reputation of a personality. West End ences, by contrast, are more of this scheme has been one o the more successful results of lobbying by the Wider Share Ownership Council. blase and are not necessarily impressed by a household

The council is not exactly a high profile group, although its MP members - they include Richard Wainwright and Edward du Cann - have If you are interested in backing a play, you should approach the producing man-agement concerned. The financial backgrounds for and Covent Garden-based Society assiduously argue the cause tax of West End Theatres keeps a list of prospective backers reductions in the Commons. The personal sector as a percentage of total share ownerwhich is regularly shown to producers in need of funds. The ship, by value, is shrinking. But society says that it is keen to numbers are being restored via hear from new investors and schemes like these.

will be glad to provide any necessary advice. Another use-The council's pres British equivalent to the French ful guide for the budding angel is the theatrical publication Loi Monory scheme has been less successful. Under this Contacts, which provides a comprehensive directory of scheme, some investment by individuals in main-stream quoted companies, as oppose to business start-ups, is tax-If the prospect of becoming an angel does not appeal deductible.

The council is pressing on with its attempt to reduce some of the tolls on individual share investment, for example, the stamp duty on the transfer of

But it is doing nothing about the rates of commission charged by brokers, although there has been pressure for a reduction in the amount of paperwork required by legislation, for those who do not hand over dis-cretion to their brokers.

London commission rates remain high by international standards, although many brokers maintain that small deals are still not economic.

What the council will not take on is the cause of any of the tors to offset losses. But it new employee shareholders requires the formation of a new who are unlucky in their company for every new venture. investments. But it has applied Given the short duration of pressure for simple accounts to most plays this would just not show how companies are be possible in the theatre world. handling their capital flows.

BUILDING SOCIET

NOTICE PERIOD VARIABLE RATES

MAX. £30,000 MIN. £500

NATIONAL COUNTIES BUILDING SOCIETY

- INVEST BY 30TH APRIL for next quarterly payment on 15th June
- Income Shares. (These percentages may vary).

The Hanagers reserve the right to close this offer if the current price has risen by more than 21/26 from the fixed price and Units will be allocated thereafter at the current pri than 2½% from the fixed price and Units will be allocated thereafter at the current pri During an offer Units may be bought and sold daily—otherwise on Fridays. A wider range crustee security authorised by the Department of Trade. The price of the Units and the income from them can go down as well as up. An Initial charge of 6% is include in the price. A monthly fee of 0.1% + VAT is deducted from income. The Hanagers has authority to charge up to 0.125% * VAT on giving 3 months notice in writing to Unit holders. The Trust Deed corresins provision for the Managers to take power to write o purchase traded call opinions on behalf of the Trust. Trustee: Cydestale Bank PLC (Member of Midland Bank Group). Lawson Fund Managers Ltd., 43 Charlocus Square, Edinburgh, EH2 4HL. Tel. 031-225 6001/2813.

FIXED PRICE OFFER UNTIL FRI. 22N/D APRIL 1983 (or daily price if lower)

Accumulation Units 21.7p Income Units 21.4p

I IN HE IS IN IN INCIDENTIAL PROPERTY OF THE INCIDENT OF THE I TC: Liveson Fund Managers Ltd., Freepost. Edmburgh BH2 008. Tel. 031-225 6001/2813. I enclose a cheque popular on Lawson Fund Managers Ltd., to be invested in Lawson Fight Fund. (Share Cortificators will also be accopated for exchange more Units—full details on the form.)

Mr./Mrs./Miss/Title

HY14 T 16/4

Invest in one of the most exciting economies on Earth. The new Gartmore Hong Kong Trust.

A fierce commitment to capitalism; an ambitious and energetic business community; a young, hardworking population: these have made Hong Kong one of the world's most dynamic economies. Over the past two decades this has meant average real growth of To p.a., and high returns to investors.

But in 1982, budly his by the world shimp and

political worries, the Hong Kong market had a disastrous year. From a peak of 1819 on 17 July, 1981 the Hang Seng Index dropped over 1100 points to 676 on 2 December, 1982, before steadying at current levels. Because of this dramatic drop - plus signs that the world recession is ending - we believe that Hong Kong

offers enormous recovery potential. And nost, while the stock market is still far below its previous peaks, we have launched the new Gartmore Hong Kong Trost -investing solely in Hong Kong -to allow investors to take advantage of this opportunity. Growth potential

Already the influences which produced the 1982 crash are beginning to look more lavourable. At Gartmore we believe that Hong Kong's economic growth will be 4% - 6% over the next two years (compared with 152% - 3% globally), on the way back to its previous 9% level. As investor confidence returns Hong Kong looks set to stage a major recovery in 1983. At the leading edge of world trade in the all-important international trade markets

Hong Kong adopts an opportunist and flexible approach that enables the Colony to capitalise on world demands. America's consumer spending, which is of vital importance to Hong Kong's exports, is now looking healthier - and entrepreneurs and workers alike are preparing for rich rewards from revitalisation of the world economy generally. Property - the worst is over

In the property markets, which were hit by a collapse of 30% to 80% in property and land prices, there are signs of a return to confidence. Rents are stabilizing, and, while large property profits may not reappear just yet, we believe that the largest part of

A new Lease of life

In 1982, the seeming lack of progress on the renegotiation of the lease on the New Territories, weighed heavily on Hong Kong's markets.

But Garrmore believe that a satisfactory compromise with China over the lease will be achieved, boosting stockmarket confidence and with it the

ing tremendous gains. Aiming for growth The main emphasis of Gartmore's Hong Kong Trust will be on investments which we believe stand to gain more from the Colony's impending recovery.

hope that closer economic relations with China will

The sim of the Trust is above-average growth and the income is therefore likely to be modest. The estimated current gross yield is 1.75% p.a. The advantage of on-the-spot management

Gartmore has been involved in Hong Kong for nearly 20 years, being one of the first investment companies to take the Colony seriously. Today, with a wealth of expertise and local contacts via our Hong Kong office, we believe we are able to offer on-the-spot judgements and continue our reputation for success in Far East investment.

Invest promptly for 1% discount You can invest from £200 upwards. If we receive your application on or before 22nd April, 1983, you will benefit from an additional los allocation of units. For your guidance the unit offer price on 14th April, 1983 was 25.4p. To invest, just complete and post the coupon below.

Remember the price of units and the income from them can go down as well as up. This investment offers the opportunity of higher than average returns from shares that are potentially volatile, and should ideally be viewed as part of your overall portfolio. You can obtain information on other Gartmore

unit trusts, and on Gartmore's Share Exchange Service, by ticking the appropriate box on the coupon.

Further information

Deed chard 23rd January 1983.

Annual distributions are paid, and of its, at the batte rate, from 15 April 1984.

Income the can be reclaimed from the Indual Revenue if you are entitled in do up.

The True has at suital management charge of 31% at the value of the meets appropriate to 5% out the time of notice at the other price. The means delarge at at 10 february to 15% out the time of notice at the other price. The means delarge at at 10 february the management (page 200) and the february at 10 february the management (page 200) and the february at 10 february at 10

available on request.
The Truster's Michael Bank Trust Company Limited. The Managers of the Trust are Garagene Frod Managers Limited. 25. Many Am. London ECIA SER 'Ref. in 623 1212 [Member of the their Trust Association]. This offers not available to residents of the Republic of behand.

Surname (Mr/Mrs/Miss/Title) Gartmore Hong Kong Trust First Name(s) in full To: Gartmois Fund Managers Ltd., 2St. Mary Axe, London ECJA VBP. Telephone: 01-023 1212, (Regd. No. 1157353 Regd address I/We exclose a chaque for (minimum £200) payable to Cartmore Fund Managers Lat., so be invested in Garmore Hong Kong Trust at the unit offer price ruling Signature(s)

on the date of receipt. ☐ For eutomatic re-investment of net income. To details of the complete Garmage nais trust range. ☐ For details of Garanore Share Exchange Service.

Mortgages

Hambro set to beat home loan hitch

Hambro Life has big am-bitions in the financial services market, and it moved a step market, and it moved a step nearer to realizing them last week when it introduced a unit-linked mortgage plan.

Unit-linked mortgages are not new, but they are not exactly familiar either. The

reason? The building societies

are very uneasy about them.
With any endowment-linked mortgage there is always a possibility that the proceeds of the endowment policy will not be sufficient to repay the loan on the house when the mortgage comes to an end.

With a unit-linked policy, where there is no way of smoothing out performance through the bonuses, the uncertainties are far greater.

Hambro Life is getting round this problem by "reviewing" the policy at the end of the first 10 years, and more frequently thereafter.

If it looks as though there is

going to be a shortfall, the policyholder will be asked to step up his premiums or arrange for an extension to the term of his mortgage.
The initial premiums are set

at a level to produce exactly the right amount at the end of the term, on the assumption that the value of the units grows at 7.5 per cent a year, and by past standards that is conservative. As with a conventional endowment mortgage, if the value of the units grows more

rapidly than expected, the policyholder will end up with cash in hand as well as paying off the debt. The beauty of this policy is its flexibility. The policyholder can choose between four funds (property, gilt-edged, fixed int-

erest deposit or managed), and there are switching facilities. If he wants to increase his mortgage (for example, if he moves) the same policy can be increased in amount or extended in term. There is no need to cash it in and start

And if he runs into problems with his payments, up to 12 months' contributions can be postponed, subject to the building society's agreement. Initial premiums compare

well with those quoted by other companies. A 29-year-old, for example, would have to pay E27.92 a month gross on a policy designed to produce E20,000 at the end of 25 years. Two building societies have agreed to accept the Hambro Adaptable Mortgage Plan so far and others are being canvassed:

The professional's choice

Increasingly, GT's unit trusts, offshore funds and unit-linked life policies are recommended by professional advisers.

The advisers like GT's performance, investment strategy, structure and simplicity.

Performance Value of £1000 invested for 5 years from 4000 1st April 1978 to 1st April 1983.† 3000 PHRE YELF LFS TEU. Far East &

*Four years (April 79-83) *As at 12th April 1983 These are five of GT's leading Unit Trusts covering the world's main stock market areas (GT Capital invests only in the U.K.) † Source Money Management & Planned Savings.

Trustees: Lloyds Bank Pic, 71 Lombard Street, London EC3P 3BS. Trustees: Lioyds Bank Pic, 71 Lombard Street London EC3P 3B5. The trusts are authorised by the Department of Trade and quality as 'wider range' investments under the Trustee investment Act, 1961.

Applications will be acknowledged and certificates will be issued within six weeks. An initial charge of 5% is included in the offer price. An annual charge of 1% (G.T. Capital Fund %%) +V.A.T. of the capital value of the Fund is deducted from the gross income of the Fund to defray management expenses. Details of distributions for each fund may be obtained from the managers. Units may be sold back at any time at the bild price ruling on receipt of your renounced certificate and payment will

GT UNIT II

16 Finsbury Circus

London EC2M 7DJ or Tel: 01-628 8131

Park House

MANAGERS

Investment Strategy

The consistent performance is a result of GT's investment strategy, based on global flexibility with concentration on proven high quality growth companies. In addition, GT portfolios can move into cash when market conditions make this appropriate. Structure

GT Management is an independent company responsible internationally for over £1 billion of client assets. Investment management is its sole business so that it is not affected by broking, banking or issuing considerations.

Simplicity

GT clients can switch between funds simply and at reasonable cost.

normally be made in 7 days. Prices of units and yields are quoted in the National Press and following an initial purchase, they may be bought in multiples of ten. Commission is paid to recognised agents out of the mitial charge, (Rates available on request). The Managers are GT Unit Managers Ltd., 16 Finsbury Circus, London EC2 Registered in London No. 903827. Members of the Unit Trust Association. This offer is not available to residents of the Republic of Ireland.

An investment in any unit trust should be considered long term and it should be remembered that the price of units and the income from them can go down as well at up.

	-
I/We wish to invest the sum of £(minimum £500) in units of GT	FUNE
at the price ruling on the day you receive this application. Cheques should be made payable to GT Unit Managers Ltd.	
If you normally use an agent please pass this application to him or complete the details in the box.	
I/We enclose a cheque for the amount to be invested.	
An account cannot be opened in the name of a minor but applications can be made by an adult and	•ha

account designated, i.e. 'A', B'or with the minor's initials. Tick box if dividends are to be reinvested □ AGENT'S NAME & ADDRESS

FAMILY MONEY

The building societies' difficulty in attracting savers, the Government's action in raising the mortgage tax relief limit to £30,000, and the customary spring housemoving fever have combined to produce queues and quotas for mortgage finance

once again.
The banks, which entered the house loans market with enthusiasm, have recently seemed to be withdrawing with untimely haste. And building societies cannot meet the demand for funds - now running at more than £800m a but curtailed its activity from

So can people still turn to their banks? If they do, will they find a pot of gold or a mess of

Although as much as £150m a month is still available from the clearing banks as a whole, there is a considerable variation in the commitment by individual banks.

Customers of Williams & by the clearers, it has provided to continue lending at that sort have to wait, if they meet the £150m and there is little more of rate this year. so that they bank's criteria. to come at present. The bank is could be meeting 10 per cent of not encouraging applications, the total demand. not encouraging applications, and even the most valued customer may not be successful.

The Midland has also severely restricted its involvement. Having achieved its ambitions in this area far more quickly than expected, shutters came most of the way down when total loans hit the £1.000m mark. Lending last autumn was running at a rate of £65m to £70m per month, but there is now little more than £10m available on a monthly

basis. Lloyds Bank, which has lent £1.600m is still in the market.

Mortgages

How banks vary in attitudes to home loans

but curtailed its activity from Mr Philip Wilkinson, group and of high reputation, last autumn by lending only for chief executive went on record There are a number of main homes, raising the cost of last November with a long term schemes, the most common an endowment mortgage by half commitment to the mortgage being a savers' service, which is a percentage point and excluding those who had not been indication that this is still the which the bank guarantees a customers for at least six case. months. If you meet Lloyds criteria, however, you should get a loan straight away, and join the ranks of the 80,000 who

have been successful.

100,000 (40,000 1st time buyers)

150,000

Barclays, too, remain firmly involved in the long term. They end of the road. But the have already lent £2,000m, schemes do vary considerably which is in excess of their in what they demand and offer. ave been successful.

Original plans. Nevertheless,
National Westminster had £400m is being made available Glyn have little chance of £1,250m outstanding at the end for now lending this year and assistance. Of the £5,500m so of last year, having lent far advanced for house purchase £1,000m in the year. They plan six months standing should not

> Most of the banks will lend up to two and a half times ;

salary, plus the equivalent of once the second or lower income in the case of joint applicants. But there are variations in this formula, and flexibility in borderline cases.

All the banks provide their customers with a copy of the surveyor's report. They do not insist on house and endowment being arranged through their own insurance broking operations, but obvi-ously prefer it. They will certainly need to be satisfied that the insurer is British based There are a number of special

a regular savings plan under which the bank guarantees a mortgage or at any rate preferential treatment at the

Terms and rates of interest vary, particularly in the case of endowment mortgages.

John Duncan John Duncan is the author of How to Manage Your Bank

fumes gross	Manager		. 1	
Interest Rate:				
repayment mortgage	endowment mortgage	Arrangement Fee	a T	
10.25% (Apr:10.6%)	11.25% (Apr. 11.7%)	265	P	
10% (Apr: 10.7%)	11% (Apr: 11.6%)	£75	a	
10.2% (Apr: 10.7%)	10.7% (Apr: 11.3%)	None	C	
10.75% (Apr. 11.2%)	11.25% (Apr: 11.7%)	£2 per 1,000 (mlnimum £50)	l h	

More help for expatriates

EVERY SINGLE PAYMENT THIS MONTH,

POSTED IN A DAMNED TAX HAVEN!

helped by tax concessions on income earned abroad, are to receive further assistance from the Chancellor under the new Miras arrangements for mortgage repayments.

Not, it should be said, that the Chancellor has ever discriminated against those who choose to work abroad. In certain circumstances thay have already been able to claim tax relief on mortgage interest.

Miras, however, has handed that relief on a plate to many thousands of Britons who live abroad - many of them more or less permanently - and who have not paid a penny in tax to

the Inland Revenue for years.
It is, in fact, a windfall for anyone buying a house in the United Kingdom, even if he pays his salary into a tax free account in the Caymans or the Isle of Man.

Under various bits of legislation stretching back to the 1973 Finance Act, most expatriates are as much entitled to tax relief on their mortgages as those who work in Britain. In not claimed such relief.

Miras has changed the mechanics. Relief is now given at source whether the borrower claims it or not.

So even when the borrower has no intention of returning to Britain - and paying income tax - he can claim the same relief as someone who lives here. There are certain conditions, main residence.

but possession of the much-vaunted status of "non-resi-wives and families here should dent" is not one of them.

To qualify for relief under this point.

One complication

must be paid in Britain to a "qualifying lender," which covers nearly all banks and which the relief available to others and where an endowment policy has building societies. The house on been arranged with a company which Miras is claimed must outside the British premium also be the claimant's only or

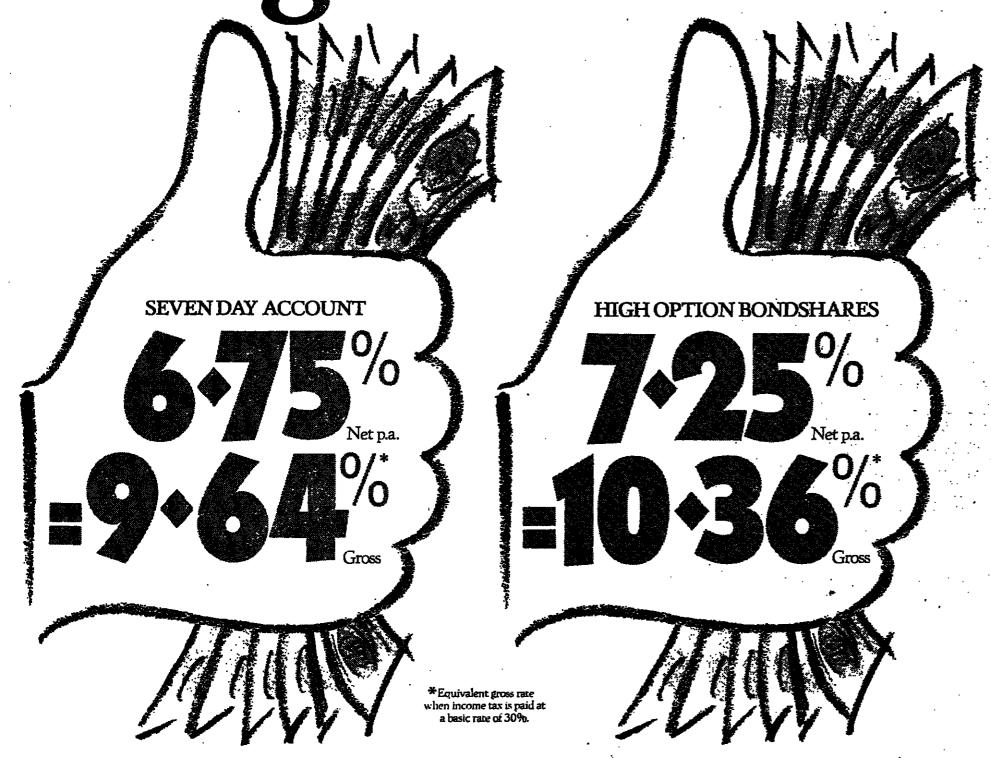
Expatriates maintaining their tax relief is not available have no difficulty in proving explained with just the smallest

disqualify expatriates for part of relief scheme (including those based in various tax havens) as remains to be seen.

sigh of relief: reimburse companies outside of

But the Revenue can - and certainly will - reimburse building societies for applying Miras to expatriate accounts.

If you've got the time, we've got the interest.



FOR SEVEN DAY **MONEY**

You can come into our Seven Day Account with just £100. With no financial penalties to pay when you withdraw all we require is 7 days' written notice.

ABBEY NATIONAL BUILDING SOCIETY 27 BAKER STREET LONDON WIM 2AA.

Tr. Department M.S.2. Abbey National Building Society FREEPOST United Kingdom House, 180 Oxford Street, London W1E 3YZ.

Please send me full details and an application card. Maximum investment £30,000 per person £60,000 joint account. I/We understand that the interest rates may vary.

to be invested in a Seven Day Account

High Option Bondshare

(Tick appropriate box)

FOR NINETY DAY

MONEY

With High Option Bondshares, we'll pay 1.00% more than our current Share rate, for investments of £500 or more, on

90 days' written notice of withdrawal.

This differential is guaranteed for a whole year. Interest available half-yearly or monthly.

National insurance

Top earners feel the pinch over contributions

This year's rises in national pretaxed income. This is about insurance contributions are £80 more than in 1982/83. once again upon us. For the going to find themselves paying schemes which are contracted more than £1,000, and out of out of the state pension already taxed income at that, in arrangements. Their contriorder to finance their state butions, too, are higher. benefits. In practical terms, the rises mean that up to an extra £2.30 a week will have to be found in many cases.

Everyone has to pay more, company pension schemes. but as is now the regular pattern, those on higher incomes are being hardest hit. With this ever-increasing burden, it is not surprising that being heard about the fact that the contributions come out of taxed income.

At the very least, it is argued, they should be treated in the same way as contributions paid into employers' pension schemes, and be allowed tax relief. However, such a change is not on the cards in the future. So what then do the rises mean for the present?

The rate of deduction goes up from 8.75 per cent to a full 9 per cent. In addition, the earnings ceiling - over which no extra contributions have to be paid goes up from £220 to £235 a week. This is where the pinch can really be felt. On the plus side, the amount

of earnings below which contributions do not have to be paid goes up from £29.50 to £32.50 a week. However, no contri-butions means no benfits.

The following examples show

earner, someone with more than £12,220 a year, has to pay aout £1,100 a year in national insurance contributions out of

The changes are different for second year, many people are people in employers' pension

A change in the way in which the contributions are calculated means bigger rises than for those who are not covered by

For the third year running right to pay lower contributions have to find more, even though their contributions do not bring them any state benefits.

Before April 1981, their rate had not changed since 1975, when contributions became earnings related. Their rate shows a steep rise from 3.2 per cent to 3.85 per cent, and this 21p to £2.01 a week. The reason given for this apparently steep rise is that from April they can get a benefit, in the form of sick pay from their employ-which they could not get before.

The self employed do not escape, either. Both the flat rate weekly stamp and their earnings related levy go up. The stamp rises by 65p a week to £4.40. The profits related part of their national insurance payment goes up from 6 per cent and is applied to profits between £3,800 and £12,000 a year instead of £3,450 and £11,000. Taken together, these changes mean increases of up to £97.40

The minority who pay contributions voluntarily are also hit. Here, the wekly stamp goes up by 65p to £4.30 a week.

Ian McDonald

Granville & Co Limited. (Formerty M. J. H. Nightingale & Co. Limited) 27/28 Lovat Lane, London EC3R 8EB Telephone 01-621 1212 The Over-the-Counter Market

I	1982	/83	_					P/	Æ
I	High	يبما	Cemplety	Price	(C)-	Circus Diviso	. YM	تعطم	Pally Tauxi
ı	142	120	Ass Brit Ind Ord	. 135	_	6.4	4.7	7.9	10.3
Н	158	117	Ass Brit Ind CULS	151	. –	10.0	6.6		_
1	74	57	Airsprung Group	62	_	61	9.8	17.7	17.7
1	46	30		30	_	. 43	14.3	3.3	5.9
ı	315	197	Bardon Hill	315	_	11.4	3.6	13.2	16.7
Ц	142	100	CCL 11.0% Conv Pref	142	+1	15.7	11.1		-
Ц	270	210	Cindico Group	210		17.6	8.4	_	_
ŧ	86	52	Deborah Services	. 52	_	6.0	11.5	3.4	9.3
ı	97	_ 77	Frank Horsell	97		_	_	8.1	8.7
I		751/2	Frank Horsell Pr Ord 87	· 95.5	_	8.7	9.1	10.6	11.4
I	. 83	61	Frederick Parker	. 62	_	7.1	11.5	3.9	. 6.2
	55	34	George Elair	34	_	_		5.9	12.3
1	100	74	Ind Prec Castings	80	_	7.3	9.1	10.3	13.0
1	161	100	Isis Conv Pref	161	+2	15.7	9.8		
ľ	143	94	Jackson Group	142	_	7.5	53	4.4	9.0
ı	206	111	James Burrough	206	+1	9.6	4.7	15.0	16.7
П	260	148	Robert Jenkins	154	-	20.0	13.0	1.6	24.4
ï	83	54	Scrittons "A"	71	· <u>-</u>	5.7	8.0	9.2	11.1
ł	167	112	Torday & Carlisle	114	Ξ	11.4	10.0	5.1	2.7
Н	29	21		25.5	_	0.46	1.8	3-1	
ł	85	64	Waher Alexander	67	- =	6.4	9.6	40	6.9
I	270	214	W. S. Yestes	264	+1	17.1	6.5	4.8	8.4
IJ	-/-	-47					_	4.1	
			Prices now availed	nic on F	restel, j	page 48	146		

FAMILY MONEY

Markets

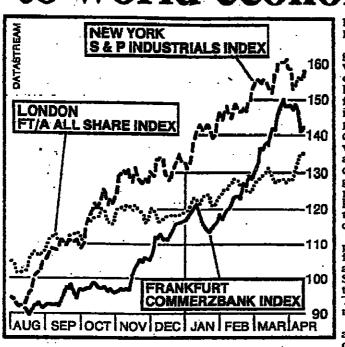
Lower interest rates bring cheer to world economies

Equity markets soared again this week, with investors buying heavily on the hopes of a pickup in consumer demand as lower interest rates boost economies all round the world. London, Wall Street and Tokyo all reached new records, and Honkong, France, South Africa and Switzerland were among those improving on performance.

As Wall Street surges on, without stopping to consolidate, sentiment among brokers remains strongly optimistic. Bull markets are expected to be a feature for most of 1983. London saw an official interest rate cut this week, with the banks reducing base rates by half a point to 10 per cent, and money market rates drifted down in most centres, in line with rates in New York. German rates were cut heavily last month and Japan is expected to make a cut as soon as US rates come down decisively. Other central banks

ment points out that virtually all sectors of the market are now rising. Investors seem to have decided that the coming election can be ignored. The return

don's bull market is the new Dividends are expected to grow materials, paper and packaging and chemicals.



will follow suit, as most want to give a boost to their stagnating a robust performance so far this conomies.

London had a very cheerful tone to it this week, following a belief that continued Conservations of the conditions of the conditions of the continued Conservations of the conditions of t belief that continued Conservasuccession of good company
results. Lower sterling is helping
rounded to rule will result in the
result in the extent to which it allows
results. Lower sterling is helping
rounded to rule will result in the
result in the
result to expand, for fear of
run-up to an election, the
run-up to an election the election the
run-up to an election the
run-up to an election the
run-up to an election the

Wall Street is not expected to peak until near the end of the year. Phillips & Drew suggest the the growth in earnings in 1983 could be 25 per cent, and of Mrs Thatcher is the City's bet that the S & P composite index could rise to around 175 against the Current level of 158.

Phillips & Drew suggest that utilities, in the form of AT & T,

still look attractive. The fall in credit terms has increased car sales, and General Motors and benefit from that factor. They suggest that Levi Strauss will benefit from higher Main Street shows g

growth is the dependence on world trade. The debt problem of the third world countries has limited its capacity to buy foreign goods. These negative influences on Japanese companies are also bad for the currency, which moves in line with Japan's export performance because that has been the country's main source of growth. So not only is the prospect for Japanes dividends limited, but also the opportunity for capital tain on the currency,

Japanese technology com panies have been the focus of foreign investment in Japan, and P & D still like Alps, NEC, Sharp, Teac and Tokyo Elec-tron. But the overall rise in the Tokyo market may now be only

moderate.

South Africa is very dependant on the gold price, gold being overwhelmingly the main source of earnings and the price does seem to be quite happy above \$400 (£267). Just how much further it will rise this procedure on the number of year depends on the number of "funk" factors that develop internationally. Wars and high oil prices are two positive

factors for gold.

Australia is also largely dependant on the world price for resources. But the new Labour government is less expansion-minded than has originally feared, and foreign Good year Tyre & Rubber will investment is returning to the

> Italy is another market that shows good recovery possi-bilities, but has some domestic

Savings

Escalating your premiums

William & Glyn's customers are being invited in an enclosure with their Access statement to subscribe to a Sun Life mouthly investment scheme, the New Flexible Escalator Investment Plan.

The monthly premiums escalate at the rate of 10 per cent a year, and after 10 years investors receive 2 guaranteed minimum sum plus bonuses. The scheme qualifies for premium relief because of the life assurance element (£4,875 minimum cover for someone aged between 41 and 45 next birthday.

Someone paying £10 a month net in the first year will pay £18.95 a month in the final year, and is guaranteed a payment of £1,365. Including bonuses at the present level, the actual

payment would be £2,629.
The escalation element in the scheme makes it difficult to compare with the more traditional 10-year savings schemes, but these returns

Income Bonds

Sales reach £1,000m

minimum holding to £2,000, taxable, but is paid in full Income Bonds, and the married effective from May 3, should without deduction of tax at couple £8,000, and still escape ensure that this milestone is source. soon passed.

introduce a simple, interestpaying facility to replace the old British Savings Bonds, with their investments. drawn from sale at the end of

rapturous.
The minimum investment was fixed at the unexpectedly can be earned from investments high level of £5,000, and the before tax becomes payable withdrawal provisions were criticised as being complicated and harsh. But there is no denying that the bond has been a useful money-raiser for the Government, even though the rate of sales has declined in recent months.

Bonds can be purchased in multiples of £1,000 and pay regular monthly interest, either direct into a bank account or by cheque sent through the post. The rate is currently 11 per cent

Interest is calculated on a National Savings Income Bonds they are prepared to take at least day-to-day basis from the date is £220 on £2,000 £550 on a 12-months' view.

Almost anyone can buy There had been strong press-ure for National Savings to have a special appeal for elderly people of moderate means. locking for regular income from

drawn from sale at the end of The position is summarised 1979. But the reception given to in the table. The figures for the the Income Bond when it retirement pension are based on appeared last year was less than the Government's own estimates for inflation, and the bottom line is the amount that can be earned from investments (assuming that the state pension is the only primary source of

\$2,360 pa £3,755 pa

pension (fro Nov. 1983) 1,778 2,849

With interest being paid at 11 per cent, the annual return from

Sales of the National Savings
Income Bond, introduced in at the Bonds and Stock Office,
August 1982 are nearing the £1,000m mark. The cut in the each month. The interest is person could invest £5,000 in the single person could invest £5,000 i

Purchasers must, however watch the repayment rules. The prospectus, obtainable at post offices, may appear at first like a literary version of Hampton Court maze. It needs to be read

carefully.

The holder must at all times give either three or six months notice. To earn the full rate of interest for the whole period the bonds are held, six months notice must be given, coming into effect on or after the first anniversary of purchase.

During the first year, no interest is earned on money withdrawn at three months notice, while on six months notice only half the normal rate of interest is paid. In following years no interest is paid during the period of notice when three months' notice is given, but full interest is earned if the period

of notice is six months. In everyday terms, no one should invest in the National Savings Income Bond unless

confidence in Opec's ability to by around 5 per cent this year stabilize the oil price, which had and the average price earnings led to some stability in sterling, ratio is expected to drop from But that does not mean that the current level of 12.2 per cent The prospects for Japan are eccentricities that remove much less clear. There is an increa- of its attraction. Share price the current level of 12.2 per cent there has been a rush to buy oil shares. The popular sectors have been electricals, building materials, paper and packaging overseas investors is still in the current level of 12.2 per cent the current level of 12.2 per cent to 10.7 per cent. In New York much of the big and United States manufacturers, and the domestic market turers, and the domestic market to turers, and the domestic market to turers, and the domestic market turers, and the domestic market to turers, and the domestic market turers are turned to the domestic market turers. overseas investors, is still in the is being depressed by high companies, bond and money markets, interest rates. Japanese com-Sally White *DOW JONES INDUSTRIAL INDEX ADJUSTED FOR CURRENCY MOVEMENTS <u>The American Way</u> At first sight it seems puzzling that the Stock Market of a capitalist economy with so many obvious

The Investment Jur

Investing money in today's economic conditions can be an absolute nightmare for the private individual. Markets are volatile world-wide: interest rates are unstable; taxation laws are forever changing - there are literally thousands of investments available.

Exchange Securities Investment Management

Exchange Securities specialise in making your money really work hard for you, reducing your tax liability and helping you achieve your investment objectives. You may be seeking high capital growth or regular income - but whatever your needs, Exchange Securities will devise an investment programme to suit you.

If you have capital of £20,000 or more or a total annual income of £20,000 or more - you can now benefit from FREE investment advice.

As your introduction to our private clients' Investment Management Service, Exchange Securities will provide you with a detailed written appraisal showing exactly how you can achieve your personal investment objectives.

There is no charge whatsoever for this investment appraisal service.

Send now for information on Exchange Securities Investment Management.

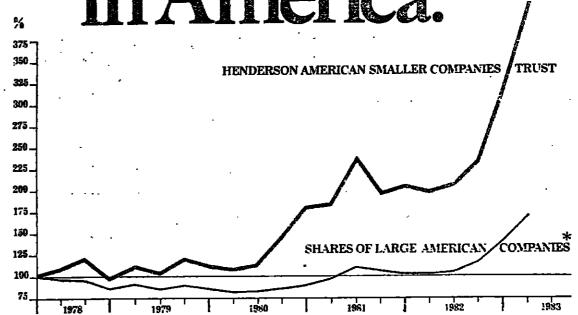
We are an independent company with a proven track record in investment analysis. We specialise in providing a confidential investment advisory service individually tailored to meet your personal needs. By returning the coupon you are under no obligation whatsoever.



7 Herdord Street, London W1Y7DY, Telephone 01 629 8808 CONFIDENTIAL REQUEST FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

To: EXCHANGE SECURITIES INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LIMITED. 7 Hertford Street, London W1 Y7DY. Tcl: 01-629 8808. Please send me further information on your investment management service. I confirm that I qualify.
NAME (Mr. Mrs. Miss) IPLEASE PRINTI ADDRESS
COUNTY POSTCODE
TET ACCION (HOME)

The small company is alive and well and making mo America



strengths as the USA has apparently performed so lamentably over the last decade or so.

But in fact, there is a lot more dynamism in America's industry than can be measured by the Dow Jones Industrial Index which reflects the performance of just 30 major stocks, or even the Standard and Poor's Composite Index which is based on the share performance of 500 major corporations.

America was the birthplace and cradle of the entrepreneur and this is a fact which is clearly reflected in its corporate evolution. Successful businessmen do not always carry on working for someone else. The American system actively encourages them to start up on their own and build the next generation of major corporations. The frequency with which such entrepreneurial spirit is successful is illustrated by the fact that new companies come to the U.S. Stock Market at the rate of two or three a week. And over the last few years it is the shares of the smaller companies which have been making most of the running-particularly in such dynamic areas as technology, health care, and retailing.

Henderson Performance

Henderson American Smaller Companies Trust was established in 1978 specifically to provide capital growth for investors by seeking to participate in the growth of North American companies too small to have achieved widespread Wall Street recognition.

It says much both for the dynamism of the smaller company sector, and for the opportunities this presents to skilful investment managers that the

offer price of units in this £29 million Trust has risen by 299% since the time of its launch compared with a 94% rise in the Standard and Poor's Composite Index (adjusted to take account of currency movements). In the latest 'Planned Savings' comparison of unit trust companies, this is the top-performing of all unit trusts over the last four years.

Management Expertise

The Henderson Group has been investing in the USA for over 30 years, and during that time an invaluable network of contacts has been established to feed information on suitable prospects back to London in addition the managers undertake frequent research trips to North America, and meet the management of hundreds of U.S. companies each year. In this way the most promising prospects are identified-in some cases even before they come to the market, for up to 5% of the portfolio of the trust may be invested in unquoted securities.

Fixed Price Offer

To facilitate investment the price of units has been fixed at *50.3p until 27th April 1983. To take advantage of this offer simply return the application form below together with your remittance (either direct or through your professional adviser) to reach us not later than 27th April 1983.

It should always be remembered that the price of units and the income from them can go down as well as up. The managers are confident that the smaller company sector of the U.S. will continue to show steady future progress and this will be reflected in the performance of the Henderson American ·Smaller Companies Trust.

Henderson American Smaller Companies Irust

Additional Information.
suld the poil offer price move by many than 21 or during the fixed of the other will be chosed and units will be also atentat the price ruling
d the other will be closed and units will be altor alreducible proceeding
of autolication.

en receipt at application.

An initial charge of Director the assets (equivalent to Direct the issue prior to make by the managers when units are issued, but of the minal charge, the managers pay removeration to qualified intermediaries rates are available on request. The Trest Deed provides for an annual charge of Partphis VAI (of the value of the Trust to be deducted from the gross income to cover administration each.)

the value of the Trust to be deducted from the gross mecone to cover administration costs.

Distributions of income will be paid on let June and Let December cach year. The estimated gross weld as at 15th April 1960 was 0.612 your Contract notes will be issued and unit certificates will be provided within six works of payment. It is self units encloses your unit criticate and send at to the managers. Payment will normally be made within seven working days.

I not Trusts are not subject to capital gains fax moreover a unit bolder will not pay this fax on a dispusal of units unless the local realised gains from all sources in any tox year amount to more than E.000 Prices and yield can be found drilly in the Financial Times. (This were subdivided by Lon 10th April 1980) Trustes:

Williams & Glyrs Bank plc Managers Henderson Unit Trust Managersent Limited, 26 Finabury Squary, London ECCA 1DA (Registered Orlico), Reg Na & & Dicklic, A member of the Unit Trust Association.

The Henderson Group also manages Pension Funds, Investment Trusts, Off-shore Funds, Exempt Trusts and Private Client Portfolios.

	I Rough Hallon, breath code has be the last telephone of a 2- −	
	I work sharebers and a summer and anti- and in takers on American Smaller	Communication
	The state of the s	
	first at the fixed price of * 30 Spiper and contamine materials - smart fire 25.	w: tarn
	population of the population of the first of the angle of the second con-	~ I. ai: -
	This open will close on 27th April 1997. After the close of this other date 2021.	444
	at the dark ground price.	
- 1	SHARL EXCHANGE SCHEME Our Share Eviding (Scheme provid-	
	able was to read the into the digital frust for or talls please task by ter temphone	No- Pass
	ner Sun Palua a Value contaction	
_ 1	The congression is easy to be to be executed of the Republic of Problems	ا
	alt grow ago contaggiorants on history - gr and attach territy	
к.	and addresses separate (c)	
22		48
=	Surname Mr. Mrs. Miss	
-)		
-	First Names	
=		
==		
	i Address	
	E	
	?	
	' 	
	ு வித்தி	

Henderson. The Investment Man

Rising hopes and falling interest rates are always a great induce-

ment to spend. If you have decided, in the light of econ-

omic prospects and spring sunshine, that the time to

refurbish has finally arrived how are you going to finance it?

The £4 a week extra that the average family has received from the Budget will in itself hardly justify hig spending. But it can be stretched.

Almost all of the big store

groups now offer a form of

revolving credit, generally known as a budget account,

under which the impecunious

customer pays in a certain amount each month and may

then spend up to a given multiple of that payment, generally up to 30 times. While the account is in credit, no interest is allowed; when it is in

There are several advantages

simple, convenient and they do

not require any explanations as to what use the money is to be

put. However, they are also

expensive. For comparison, the "true rate of interest" (ie, the APR) now being charged by Access and Barclaycard is 23.1

per cent, and that makes no

allowance for the initial inter-

est-free period (anything up to even weeks if you time your

debit, interest is charged.

Base Rate

Reduces by 1/2% to 10% per annum with effect from 15th April 1983.

Deposit Accounts

Interest paid on 7 day deposit accounts reduces by 34% to 634%p.a. with effect from 15th April 1983.

Monthly Income Deposit Account Service

interest paid will be reduced from 10% to 9%p.a. with effect from 16th May 1983.





Arbuthnot Securities Limited, one of the unresearched. Consequently they provide leading (IKunit trust companies, announces the formation of a unique unit trust, Arbuthnot World Penny Share Fund. The Fund will be managed by Arbuthnot's team of highly successful investment managers.

For a minimum of £200 you can invest in a worldwide spread of penny share companies selected for their exceptional growth potential. Investment in such companies is of course quite speculative, but rewards can be infinitely greater than heavily priced

Penny shares describe companies whose shares are priced in pennies rather than pounds and are usually little known and excellent opportunities for entrepreneurs to launch them into profitability and these activities are thriving especially in America, Japan and the U.K. The aim of Arbuthnot World Penny Share

Fund is to achieve maximum capital growth (estimated gross starting yield is 2% p.a.). Remember the price of units and the in-

come from them can go down as well as up. Until 6th May 1983, units in the new Arbuthnot World Penny Share Fund may be purchased at the fixed launch offer price of 10p. You can invest simply by returning the application form below with your

Centeral finantization Applications will be acknowledged and unit certifi-cates will be issued within six weeks. Units can be purchased or sold back daily. Repayment is made within 14 days of our receipt or your renounced certificate. The Trust offers investors accumulation only. The net income is automatically re-ted and the price of units is adjusted to reflect investors on 31st August each year commencing 1984. Daily prices appear in leading newspapers. Remuneration is paid to in

Remuneration is paid to intermediates (raies available on request).

Offer price includes 5%% service charge. The maximum permitted annual charge is 2% of the value of the Fund plus VAT but the managers will levy this at 11%. Three months notice of any increase will be given. Offer is not open to residents of the Republic of Ireland.

Trustee: The Royal Bank of Scotland plc Managers: Arbuthnot Securities Limited (Reg in Edinburgh 46694), 25 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh. Members of the Unit Trust Association. remittance.

Arbuthnot Securities Limited, 37 Queen Street, London EC4R1EY or phone 01-236 5281. I/we wish to invest <u>\$.</u> (min £200) in Arbuthnot World Penny Share Fund at the fixed price of 10p per unit, and enclose a cheque payable to Arbuthnot Securities Ltd. I/we declare that I arm/we are over 18. Tick here for details of

Sumame(s) Mr/Mcs/Miss

<u>ARBUTHNOT</u> The Unit Trust People

Monthly Savings Plan Arbuthnot's range of unit trusts

The Norwich Union Life Insurance Society

IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of this Society will be held at the Society's Offices, Surrey Street, Norwich on Tuesday 10th May 1983 at 11.30 a.m. for the transaction of the following business:-

To receive and consider the Reports of the Directors and Anditors and the Accounts

To elect Directors in the place of those retiring.

To appoint Auditors and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration. To consider and if thought fit to adopt the following Special Resolution for the purpose of

altering the Society's Articles of Association:-

'The Articles of Association of the Society be altered

(i) by deleting Article 31 and substituting the following Article therefor:-"31.(1) Until otherwise determined by the Society in General Meeting the aggregate

annual amount of the remuneration of the Directors for their services as such shall not exceed \$100,000 and shall be divided between them in such proportions as the Directors shall from time to time determine. The Directors may in addition pay pensions and allowances to former Directors and their dependants, and may provide for the payment of pensions, allowances and hump-sum benefits on the death or retirement of any Director, but the aggregate annual amount expended on such provision (exclusive of any pensions and allowances currently being paid, and of any provision for a Director holding any executive office or appointment in addition to his directorship) in respect of any period shall not exceed one-quarter of the said sum of \$100,000 or such other amount as may be substituted therefor as the maximum aggregate annual remuneration of the Directors for the time being.

(2) If in the opinion of the Directors special circumstances exist a Director may be paid all travelling, botel and other expenses properly incurred by him in attending and returning from meetings of the Directors or any committee of the Directors or general meetings of the Society or in connection with the business of the Society.

(3) If in the opinion of the Directors it is at any time desirable that any Director shall perform any special service on behalf of the Society or its business such Director shall be paid such additional remuneration for such service as the Directors may think fit."

(ii) by deleting Article 56 and substituting the following Article therefor:-

The Directors shall provide for the safe custody of the Common Scal of the Society which shall only be used and affixed in accordance with regulations made from time to time by the Directors."

Dated this 15th day of April 1983 By order of the Board

H. H. SCURFIELD Secretary Surrey Street Norwich



FAMILY MONEY

Spending

Shop around for credit

gives you more freedom, you Lloyds' Cashflow account, for and it charges a family modest

House of Fraser stores; ie Army & Navy, Barkers John Lewis Partnership Sears Holdings Stores ie Miss Selfridge, Wallis (excl Selfridges)

A credit card account, unlike the store budget account, can be used anywhere that the credit

Midland has something similar but, like Lloyds and Unlike the stores. Lloyds lar but, like Lloyds and used anywhere that the credit

BORROWING MONEY IN THE SHOPS

£5-no max

28-230

purchases carefully). The average Barclaycard holder, repaying the debt within four months, would pay interest equivalent to some 17.5 per cent a year.

should try your bank. The big instance, you pay in a conparatively high minimum (£20 a four banks have some form of tively high minimum (£20 a revolving credit, although month), can borrow up to 30 times your payments (to a maximum of £2,000), and can ease the payment of regular maximum of £2,000), and can use the money however you use the money however you

card is accepted. If you want a book account which can be used account is in credit (at a fairly revolving credit account that much more freely. With the modest 5 per cent per annum),

duration

6 months

not available Lloyds Bank pays 5% on accounts in credit but

es 40p per cheque or

ct debit or cash

rate APR

16.4 per cent when the account is in the red. Midland and Barclays will let youp ay in less (a minimum of £10 a month). and borrow more (a maximum of £3,000). Both charge you more when you are in debit, but pay you more when you are in the black.

The cheque book and other payment facilities that come with these accounts is useful but expensive. Lloyds and Barclays both charge 40p for withdrawals by cheque and standing order, rather less for withdrawals by direct debit or through cash dispensing machines. Midland charge 35p for all withdrawals. These rates are substantially higher than those on a normal current account, so you obviously would not want to use your account too frequently.

some disciplined savings for large purchases, however, they are a good idea, although selfdiscipline and the use of a building society account would

certainly pay better. However attractive these chemes may be, an overdraft now at 13 to 14 per cent for favoured customers, is still cheaper. But if you want an overdraft you will have to-

Law Report April 16 1983 Court of Appeal

20 times

'Currency' smuggler escapes drugs conviction

ed in an appeal against conviction after he had changed his plea when the trial judge ruled that on the admitted facts the jury would have to be directed to convict him of being knowingly concerned in the fraudulent evasion of the prohibition on importation of a controlled drug, contrary to section 170(2) of the Customs and Excise Manage-ment Act 1979 and section 3(1) of

the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971.

The Court of Appeal quashed the conviction of Paul Desmond Patrick Taaffe, a carpenter aged 32, who had been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at Graves end Crown Court (Mr Recorder Griffiths) on November 18 last. The Court of Appeal refused an

application by the Crown for an application by the Crown for an order for a new trial but, on the Crown's application, certified that a point of law of general public importance to be formulated was involved in the decision. nvolved in the decision.

Mr R. D. Roebuck, assigned by

the Registrar of Criminal Appeals, for the appellant; Mr Christopher Aylwin for the Crown.

The LORD CHIEF JUSTICE into the green lane of the ferry terminal at Sheerness and told the customs officer on duty that he had nothing to declare. The car was searched and it was noticed that the

spare tyre was deflated.
In it were found five packages containing cannabis resin. Then he was searched and taped to his back under his clothes were a further three packages of it.

called.

The trial judge was asked to rule on the question whether the version of events advanced by the appellant if accepted by the jury entitled him to be acquitted.

Having heard argument from both sides the trial judge concluded that he would be obliged, even on the appellant's version of events, to direct the jury to convict. There-upon be pleaded guilty and was

the ruling was wrong in law. Had the alleged offence been committed on the assumption that

the following facts were established?

(i) The appellant was enlisted by a third party in Holland to import a substance into England from Holland in franculent evasion of the Holland in fraudulent evasion of the Hussain and Hennessey he prohibition on its importation and not know their precise nature.

(4) Currency was not of any such prohibition.

the offence was not one of absolute liability. The use of the word "knowingly" in section 170(2) of the 1979 Act meant that the prosecution

When esked whether he knew had the task of proving the existence what substance was in the packages, of mens rea - the mental element required by the particular statute on the said: "I am waiting to find out, because if it's drugs..." and that was the end of that answer. When the officer asked the appellant what relevant mental element which be did think was in them, he replied money".

When esked whether he knew had the task of proving the existence what substance was in the packages, of mens rea - the mental element required by the particular statute on the packages. It is an waiting to find out, because if it's drugs..." and that was the end of that answer. When the officer asked the appellant what relevant mental element which section 170(2) required to be proved? It was primarily knowledge that the substance which was being imported was a drug or certainly grammes of cannabis resin, succeeded in an appeal against conviction after he had changed his plea when the crown intended to tender was a substance of some sort the importation of called.

His Lordship said "relevant" because there were doubtless other facets of the mental element which

were not in emental element which were not in issue in the present case. Their Lordships did not find helpful R v Hussain (1969) 2 QB 567) or R v Hennessey (Timothy) (1978) 68 Cr App R 419) on which Mr Aylwin principally relied, and they disagreed with his contention 571-572, the word "know" incinded the state of mind of a person who "mistakenly believes" a fact to exist.

It was essential that the person charged should "know" in the fact the case, that the goods being imported were goods subject to a prohibition, although on the basis of

did so import it.

(2) That substance was in fact from another angle. In Sweet cannabis, the importation of which Parsley ([1970] AC 132,163), after was prohibited by the Misuse of citing Mr Justice Stephen in R v Drugs Act 1971.

(3) The appellant mistakenly believed the substance to be currency – money.

(4) Currency was not the subject conduct would not in any context for smearing the more stirm of the prohibited conduct would not in any context conduct the necessity for sme connote the necessity for any particular mental element, they are of any such promotion.

(5) The appellant mistakenly nevertheless to be read as subject to believed that currency was the implication that a necessary subject of a prohibition against element in the offence is the absence importation.

One started with the premise that existence of facts which if true would make the act innocent. As was said by the Privy Council in Bank of New South Wales v Piper ([1897] AC 383, 389, 390), the absence of mens rea really consists

in such a belief by the accused."

What, then, if the jury in the present case had been asked to decide the matter and had concluded that the appellant might have believed that what he was importing was currency and not prohibited drugs? He had to be judged against the facts as he believed them to be. Had it been currency and not cannabis,

no offence would have been committed.

Did it make any difference that the appellant thought wrongly that by clandestinely importing currency he was committing an offence?

Mr Aylwin submitted that it did and that a man had to be judged according to the total mistakes under which he laboured.

Their Lordships thought that that

Their Lordships thought that that submission was wrong. It no doubt made his actions morally reprehen-sible. It did not turn what he, for the purposes of argument, believed to be the importation of currency into the commission of a criminal offence. His views on the law as to he importation of currency were, to

the importation of carrency were, to that extent, irrelevant.

Mr Ayiwin, by way of an argument in terrorem, suggested that if the appeal was allowed then all importers of drugs would say they believed that the substance was money and not drugs and the courts would be immodated by bogus defences. As to that: whether the jury, if the

matter had been left to them, would have had any doubt about the appellant's knowledge that the substance he was importing was a controlled drug was another matter and did not have to be decided.

The present case was, however, clearly not appropriate for the application of the proviso to section 2(1) of the Criminal Appeal Act Solicitors: Solicitor, Customs and

Judge's decision to separate plot defendants

Regina v Roberts

It was a matter for the judge's associa assessment whether, in a conspiracy involving two defendants, the two cases were different so that it was senaral

damage abroad not indictable here

Before Lord Lane, Lord Chief Justice, Mr Justice Taylor and Mr

[Judgment delivered March 30] On a charge of conspiracy to defined where the conspiracy was to be carried out abroad, it was not indictable in England even if its performance would cause economic loss and damage to the proprietary interests of a company within the jurisdiction, or if its performance would injure a person or company here by causing him or it damage

The Court of Appeal (Criminal Division) so stated in giving a reserved opinion on a reference of points of law by the Attorney General under section 36 of the Criminal Justice Act 1972.

Miss Ann Goddard, QC, and Mr P. C. Ader for the Attorney

Mr P. C. Ader for the Attorney General; Mr Colin Dines for the defendants, A and C.

THE LORD CHIEF JUSTICE said that the defendants were charged with conspiracy to defraud. The particulars of the offence were that they had conspired together and with others to defraud such communics, and persons, and in companies and persons, and in particular X Company Ltd, as might be caused loss by unlawful labelling, sale, supply or marketing of whisky purporting to be that of X label products, X Co Ltd being the proprietors of the labelled products and owning the copyright in the label.

case the judge upheld submissions on behalf of the defendants that the court had no jurisdiction to try the indictment because a conspiracy in England to commit a crime abroad was not indictable here unless the which an indictment would lie in

England.
X Co distilled and marketed whisky. Their registered offices were whisky. I her registered offices were in England. Two of their brands or labels were world famous. They owned the copyright in and claimed the exclusive use of those labels. Their labels were protected by trade marks registered in almost all constraints and in particular in countries, and in particular in England, Germany and the

Two of the defendants, A and B. were directors of Y Co. That company had no business dealings with X Co.

The prosecution case was that A and B arranged to sell to L a large quantity of whisky, the ultimate destination of which was to be the Lebanon. The contract was conclud-

Legardan. In contract was concluded in London.

Perforated sheets of labels imitating those of X Co were printed and brought to Y Co in London, where A, B and C (another defendant) prepared them for transmission to Frankfurt, where they were to be fixed to the bottles of whisky, prior to the whisky being shipped to the Lebanon and sold as the X Co's product. The German authorities then seized the whisky before the plans could be further implemented.

X Co had appreciable sales in the Lebanon, and it was likely that if the defendant's whisky, masquerading as that of X Co, had been sold in the as that of X Co, had been soon in the Lebanon, X Co would have suffered loss of trade, quite apart from the infringement of their trade marks and possible injury to their reputation generally.

Miss Godard, for the Attorney General, asserted that the indictment was drawn with the intention of alleging against the defendants a conspiracy to defrand the X Co and/or its parent or subsidiary

It was not intended, despite its m was not intended, despite its wording, to allege a conspiracy to defrand any possible purchasers of the whisky in the Lebanon. Indeed, she expressly disavowed any reliance on a conspiracy to obtain money by deception.

Her argument stood or fell on her contention that what was proved here was a consprincy formed in this country to defraud X Co or its associates by the dishonest use of its labels

Conspiracy to cause

Miss Goddard submitted that a conspiracy to defraud could exist without deceit, that false representations need not be made, and that the execution of the conspiracy need not involve the commission of a substantive crime. She said that all that was required was an agreement dishonestly to cause economic loss or prejudice to another.

She relied on Rank Film Distributors Ltd v Video Infor mation Centre ([1982] AC 380), R v Scott ([1975] AC 319) and R v Allsop ((1976) 64 Cr App R 29) and argued that in the present case, whether the conspirators intended it or not, the effect of this dishonesty abroad appelled have been to injury abroad propoled have been to injury abroad. would have been to injure the X Co's economic interest here, and that was the real object of the fraud.

The real question most in each case be what was the true object of

the agreement entered into by the conspirators? In their Lordships' judgment, the object here was to obtain money from prospective purchasers of whisky in the Lebanon by falsely representing that it was the X Co's whisky.

It might well be that if the plan had been carried out some damage could have resulted to the X Co, but that would have been a side eff incidental consequence of the conspiracy, not its object.

It would be contrary to principle well as being impracticable for as well as being impracticable the courts to attribute to defen third parties based on what the defendants should have foreseen as probable or possible consequences.

Had it not been for the jurisdictional problem, their Lord-ships had no doubt that the charge against those conspirators would have been conspiracy to defraud potential purchasers of the whisky, for that was the true object of the agreement. Accordingly, the first argument was rejected.

Miss Goddard's alternative approach was more bold. She asked their Lordships to lay down a different test from that propounded in Board of Trade v. Owen, which the suggested was incorporated to she suggested was inappropriate to the facts of this case. The new test proposed was that if a conspiracy to defraud, although to be wholly carried out abroad, would cause injury to an individual or company within the jurisdiction, it was indictable here.

It was contended that the protection of economic interests in this country against injury by fraud here or abroad was a legitimate and proper function of the criminal law. The only semblance of support for that proposal was a dictum at the end of Lord Tucker's speech in Board of Trade v Owen where he said, at p 634, that he would "reserve for future consideration the Ollection whether a consideration that question whether a conspiracy in this country which is wholly to be carried out abroad may not be indictable here on proof that its performance would produce a public mischief in this country or injure a person here by cause damage abroad".

It was to be noted that the point for consideration was limited to cases where the conspiracy was made in England, but that could well involve the most technical anomalies, such as were foreshadowed by Lord Wilberforce in Director of Public Prosecutions 1 Doot and Others ([1973] AC 807, 818).

If on the other hand, Lord Tucker's limitation was removed, the new test would be immensely wide. Whenever a fraudulent conspiracy made abroad and to be carried out abroad sent ripples back to England washing over and damaging some economic interest here, an indictment would lie.

Their Lordships could find no grounds in authority or principle for so holding, and rejected Miss Goddard's second argument

assessment whether, in a conspiracy involving two defendants, the two cases were different so that it was possible for one defendant to be convicted and for the other to be acquitted, the Court of Appeal (Lord Justice Lawton, Mr Justice Michael Davis and Mr Justice Anthony Lincoln) held on April 15 when dismissing an appeal by John Hoseph Roberts against conviction.

LORD JUSTICE LAWTON said that the judgment of the Lord Chief Justice in R v Longman ((1981) 72 Cr App R 121, 125) had to be construed as meaning that it was for the judge and not for the jury to decide whether of evidence against each defendant was markedly different.

Lord Justice Lawton, Mr Justice Anthony Lincoln) held on April 15 was not indictable in England unless the cime contemplated was one for which an indictment would lie in England.

Miss Goddard's first argument was indictable if its performance would injure a person or company here by causing him or it damage abroad. The points of law which had been posed for consideration were (i) whether on a charge of conspiracy was to be carried out abroad in the proprietary-interests of a company within the jurisdiction; and (2) whether on a charge of conspiracy was to be carried out was that, accepting that test, although no indictment would lie in England.

Miss Goddard's first argument was indictable in its conspiracy was carried out, the proprietary-interests of a company within the jurisdiction; and (2) whether on a charge of conspiracy was to be carried out abroad it was indictable if its performance would injure a person or company here by causing him or it damage abroad. The points of law which had been possed for consideration were (i) whether on a charge of conspiracy was to be carried out abroad in was indictable if its performance would injure a person or company here by causing him or it damage abroad. The points of law which had been possed for conspiracy was to be carried out abroad in the proprietary-interests of a company within the jurisdiction.

Conspiracy was to be carried out



Allied Irish Banks Limited

announce that with effect from close of business on 15th April 1983 its Base Rate is reduced

from $10\frac{1}{2}\%$ to 10% p.a. Head Office – Britain: 64-66 Coleman Street London EC2R 5AL

Standard Chartered

announces that on and after 15th April, 1983 its Base Rate for lending is being decreased from $10\frac{1}{2}\%$ to 10% p.a.

The interest rate payable on deposit accounts subject to seven days notice of withdrawal will be decreased from 7½% to 6½% p.a.

The interest rate payable on High Interest deposit accounts subject to twenty one days notice of withdrawal will be decreased from \$1,7% to 73,7% p.a. Standard Chartered

مركذا من رلاميل

remarkable sense of team spirit Fixtures are so arranged at senior

schools level that England and Wales do not always meet the other

two home countries and France in the same season. This year they have, England winning two home matches and one away in scoring 70

points and conceding only three,

Both countries have something on which to build: England have

three boys remaining from the party which toured Zimbabwe last summer, including this season's captain, Simms, and Wales, likewise, had three players who took part in last season's championship.

"I am very incky to have such a splendid group of lads," Ian Gibson, a Yorkshireman, who stepped up from England's 16 group coach to

18 group this season, said. "I think they are much more sophisticated

than people give them credit for. There is an honesty about their game, they are full of endeavour and

62 points against 13.

Vales travelling twice in aggregating

MOTOR RACING

French circuit tailor-made for the turbos

The first day of official practice for tomorrow's French Grand Prix has provided further decisive proof that the 3.6 mile Paul Richard circuit, with its mile-long Mistrale straight in tails mile-long Mistrale circuit, with its mile-long Mistrale straight, is tailor-made for cars with nurbo-charged engines. Ten of the 11 fastest times have been set by the powerful turbos, the only interloper, in minth place, being Niki Landa in his Marthorn Med Tana. Ford

s Mariboro McLaren-Ford. Today, Lauda will have his first experience of the latest Ford Cosworth DFY engine, a short-stroke derivative of the DFV power unit, which has now recorded 153 grand prix successes over a career of 16 years but is now hard pressed to keep the pace. The main benefit of he new engine, an example of which is also being fitted into Nigel Mansell's JPS Lotus, is expected to be in mid-range torque, which should help acceleration out of the

circuit's slower corners.
Confirming the promising results they have obtained during private lesting. Andrea de Cesaris and his Alfa Romeo 183T have been see the pace, although Renault's traditional big effort for their home grand prix once again makes them strong contenders; their cars stood second and third quickest at this halfway stage in qualifying.

However, three hours after practice ended, race officials disallowed de Cesaris's time when it was discovered that his car's on-board fire extinguisher was empty, saving an estimated 8kg in weight.

The third of this season's world championship qualifying races, the

of the 26 places.

GYMNASTICS Langley to

deliver? team and the absence through injury of Stoyan Deltchev, of Bulgaria, the former European champion, have improved the chances of a medal for Britain at the seven-nation Cham pions All tournament, sponsored by

the Daily Mirror, at Wembley today, Peter Aykreyd writes.

Keith Langley, the British No. 2, is at present in top form, having News tournament. He is certain to most experienced gymnasts presen Valentin Kolev, runner-up in the

Bulgarian national championship, and Mignel Arroyo, the dis-tinguished Cuban. Two experienced members of the Williams, are competing in this event for the first time. They will

Every grand prix practice seems to have one hard luck story, and yesterday it was Derek Warwick's turn to draw the short strew. Having been second quickest in the untimed peacine with his Tolman-Hart, he practice with his Tolman-Hart, he suffered a fuel pump failure on his second lap which stranded his car at, the far end of the circuit. He rushed back to the pits, took a replacement pump out to the car, and fitted it, pump out to the car, and fitted it, only to find that the battery had been drained. He returned to the pits once again and borrowed the car of his team partner, Bruno Giacomelli, which was grared differently from his own, he had time to put in one lap, which had at least qualified his car in eighteenth of the 26 places.

Warwick: hard luck

French Grand Prix will be over \$4 laps for a distance of 195 miles. Whatever happens, McLaren-Ford will still head the constructors' championship with 19 points championship with 19 points
PRACTICE THERE 1, A de Casarie (AMR
Romeo), Turis 38,098 sec. 2, A Prost (Rerunit),
1:38,358; 3, E Chewier (Renunit), 1:38,960; 4, E
de Angust (1978 Lohu-Renunit), 1:38,960; 4, E
de Angust (1978 Lohu-Renunit), 1:38,962; 5, R
Piquet (Brainism-Sawly), 1:39,567; 5, R
Amour
(Ferrari), 1:48,027; 7, M Winisalrock (ATSBMWs, 1:40,239; 8, P Tambay (Ferrari),
1:40,393; 3, N Lucda (Marthoro McLurer-Ford),
1:41,058; 10, R Patresse (Rabham-Bard),
1:41,058; 11, M Baldi (Alfa-Romeo), 1:41,215;
12, J Wesson (Marthoro McLurer-Ford),
1:41,239; 13, M Alborator (Barstinn Tyrel-Ford), 1:42,77; 14, 8 (Bacomet) (Tolernan-Ford),
1:42,77; 14, 8 (Bacomet) (Rometinn Tyrel-Ford), 1:42,77; 14, 8 (Bacomet) (Tolernan-Ford),
1:42,218; 15, K Roesber (Rassider) John Watson, who set a record by winning a grand prix from twenty-second place on the grid at Long Beach, did well to claim twelth position, but although the McLaren team have a second DFY engine in their transporter, they do not plan to run both cars with the new power unit, which has yet to run on other than a test bed. Watson, therefore, will use a DFV engine with the latest cylinder heads.
Ferrar's Patrick Tambay had a frustrating day, twice having to abandon his car on the circuit J Latibe (Saudi Walkerns-For N Mannel (LPS Lobe-For R Suerraro (Theodors-For) Cacotto (Theodors-For) Sullivan (Benegoni Tyrell-For R Bosest (Ligher-Ford), 1:44-778; 26, | Manch-Ford), 1:45-778; 27, during morning practice, and then suffering a turbo failure during the timed runs. He should improve on

Reeves with a rush

and retreiving everything ultimate-ly defeated the No. 1 seed, Suzie

start of the second set, she began to rush. Then Miss Mair was several times penalized for foot faulting making her service more tenturive. The Scottish girl came back from 1-3, in the final set to lead 5-3, At that the service more tenturing.

that point, though, the tenacious Miss Reeves produced some timely Two experienced members of the drop shots to get back into the game British women's senior squad and was soon drawing plenty of Natalie Davies and Kathleen Williams, are competing in this In today's final Miss Reeves event for the first time. They will meets Alison Grant, who succeeded perform in an outstanding field in patting behind her a handful of which includes two national champions - Bonnie Wittmeier, of defeating Caroline Bhaganadas 1-6,

The unseeded Jenny Reeves, well in the opening set that she chasing unflaggingly about the court, became upset when the mistakes did

Austen Brice posed some probly defeated the No. 1 seed, Sazie

Austen Brice posed some problems for the No. 1 seed, Richard
final of the 16-and-under junior. Whichello, in the boys' semi-final,
hard-court championships, sponalbeit not until the second set,
sored by Prudemial at the Edghesston Archery Club, a Special Brice collected his second-set tally
Correspondent writes:

Of four games – an attitude which
Miss Mair may still be share of august well for his final today
experience in the role of favourite. against Justic Goodall.

She started out confidently but as Boost status Goodall.

shipe: Thing round (US unless straigh; 15 Common beet R Rumine; Metc), 6-3, 7-6; 6 Mayur beet R van'l Hof, 6-2, 7-6; A Mayer beet R Tamer; 6-3, 6-3; J Kriek (SA) beet T Cain, 6:1, 7-6. H Pfister, beet F Steinning, 6-3, 8-2.

1, 7-6. H Preser, Jose F Statering, 6-5. AARELIA SELAND: Women's Tarrie Association circumptensities. Third. Round (IJS unless states): C. Loyd best 8 Gactanic, 7-8, 6-2; S. Hardina (1967). Issuit P. Cassile, 7-8, 5-6; H. Mardillova; (1-2). Issuit P. Cassile, 7-8, 6-6; M. Corvae hast Z. Gerrisco, 6-1, 6-1; C. Bessed (Carr). Issuit. E. Pieff, (Wide, 6-1, 4-8, 7-5; K. Rimaldi, Deet C. Kobbe, (Wide, 8-2, 1-8, 6-1; R. Reggi (Id) beat E. Cawley (Aus), 6-3, 6-3. HILTON HEAD, South Carolina: tournament Third round: 6 View (Arg) McNames (Aus), 6-2, 6-0, 6-1.

IN BRIEF

Trevino in joint lead with a 66

Hilton Head Island, South Carolina (Reuter) - Lee Trevino had one of his best rounds of the year, a 66 (five under par) to join Mark McNulty of South Africa and junior grand slam. Jodie Mudd as leaders in the first round of the Heritage golf classic

here yesterday.

Trevino had five birdies over the final eight holes to equal the course record of 30 on the inward nine holes.

Frank Zoeller, Bob Eastwood Larry Mize and Donnie Hammon

tre level at 07,

Ben Crenshaw headed a group of

The defending seven players on 68. The defending champion Tom Watson had six sixes on his scoreboard and finished with a 74.

With a 74,

LEADING SCORES: (US unless stated; 86 L
Trevinc; Michaely (SA); J Madd; 87 F Zoeler;

R Easthwood: L Mare; D Hamanond; 88 B
Crenshav; J Nelturd; S Simpson; N Istatisty;

D Forsman; M O'Grady; S Har; 89 D Watson
(SA); other scores; 79 D Graham (Aus); R
Schearer (Aus); N Price (SA); 71 I And I Japy; 72

G Payer (SA); 73 N Feldo (GB); 80 B Dawin
(Aus);

SEOUR: South Konem Oper: (First round leader Japanese mises stated; 79 V Amada;
71 N Fujike; Lu Hai-Chuse (Tel); Joo-Heuri (S
Kor); Perik Nem-Shin (S Kor); Chiol Sarg-Ho (S
Kor); Perik Nem-Shin (S Kor); Chiol Sarg-Ho (S
Kor); T2 A Ino; 73 N Xarestam; T Yoshici; S
Kubor W Grady (Aus).

BOXING: Gerry Cooney, who has not boxed since he was stopped by Larry Holmes in the 13th round last June, will return to the ring in Las June, will return to the ring in Las Vegas on June 18 against Phil Brown, an unbeaten but relatively unknown heavyweight. The 10-round bout will be held at Cesar's Palace, where Cooney suffered his first defeat in the fulle bout, for which he and Holmes each received \$10m—the richest prize of all time. ICE HOCKEY: the 49th world ICE HOCKEY: the 49th works championships, group A open today with the Soviet Union clear favourites. Nobody, with the possible exception of Canada, can stop them depending on how much of their professional talent will be available from the rival Stanley Cup

MOTORCYCLING: Sheene's return to British racing and the appearance of Alan Carter, aged 18, the youngest winner of a grand prix, should send spectators flocking to Donington Park today and

tomorrow. CRICKET: Australia are nected to strengthen their spin attack in seeking a revenge win over Sri Lanka in the second one-day international in Colombo today. Australia's left-arm spinner Tom Hogan, who took three for 27 in the first game, could be supported by the off spinner, Bruce Yardley, the fast bowler, John Magnire, is the most likely man to be left out.

Sri Lanka have announced for a big conribution from their best batsmen, Dulcep Mendis and the vice-captain Roy Dias, who were smissed cheaply in the first

SRI LANKA: L. R. D. Mandis (captain), R. L. Dias, S. Wettfittuny, S. Fernando, R. S. Madugalle, A. N. Ranatunnoje, D. S. De Sava, Alf De Mai, G. de Alvás, Ramach Ratneyaka, V. John.

RUGBY UNION

England must clear Welsh hurdle to win grand slam

Whatever disappointments En-gland have suffered at international game. Hecause of all mese times in the same is a very good game to watch."

There was some amilety over the well being of Simms after he had to come off in the game against France because of a bang on the head to the John Player Cup final. Sorrell because of a bang on the head the job in midweck against sustained in a crash tackle; but a Exeter; Duggan plays against the visit to a neuro-surgeon in Gosforth. level over the last few years, their schoolboys have seldom let them down. Nor have they this season: the England 18 group side go into their final game today seeking the To achieve that, however they must beat another unbeaten side, established that he had not been Wales, at Pontypridd, in a game made more intriguing by the fact that both sides have developed a

consussed.

England believe that the Welsh will be strongest at half back where they field a school pairing from Cwmtawe and in the back row. Wales, for their part, are resigned to meeting a bigger English pack but have the advantage of ending the season at home. "They have really worked very well for each other," Graham Tregidon, secretary to the Welsh schools union, said. "They did well to score five tries in airocious conditions against Sootland at Llanelli and even better to land at Llanelli and even better to win in France where they had not

England's colts also play Wales at Gloucester with the teamwork built on a short tour of Italy immediately behind them.

Study of amateur laws

Wellington (Reuter) - Speca-lation about professionalism has prompted the New Zealand Rugby, Union to set up a group to study changes to the sport's rigid amateur

game, they are full of endeavour and they are not frightened of experimenting. Their support work when they haven't is tremendous and they haven't is tremendous and they haven't got into any bad habits yet. They make mistakes, but that is part of the interest in the

In Scotland the sevens season continues with the Hawick tourns-

Valleyj, A Coughin (Lientament) A Carter (Kelly College Devon captain).

ENGLAND 18 Group: I Henris (DEHS Hechem): G Mercello (St Mary's Crousy), K Simens (Weet Park College captain), W Carling (Sectionship) R Crawford (Wellington College); M Fescher (Iverpool College), M Hencock (Herenstern 195); V Ugobu (West Buckland), M Lembert (St Brectan's) A -Mullins (Duterich), M McSah (Ampletorin), W Dyden (St Cuthbort), W Reld (King Edward VI Sheffield) C Marriel (Cusen Mary's Busingstoke), D Sole (Thomas Bennatt, Crawley).

Richie Guy, an All Black in 1971, said the move for realistic compensation was prompted by the International Board's refusal to increase daily allowances substan-tially and by the speculation about a professional rugby troupe being

Paris (AFP) - The French Rugby Federation's decision on whether the proposed summer tour of South Africa should go ahead will

RUGBY LEAGUE

Title awaits Hull in more ways than one

By Keith Macklin

Barring some remarkable scoring by Wigan, the championship belongs to Hull, who can be expected to chuch it in the final home league game of the season against Barrow tomorrow. For Wigan to overtake Hull they would need to win at Widnes by about 50. points, while Hull would need to lose against Barrow, who face the drop into the second division after.

tomorrow's games.
So confident, and understandably, so, are Hull that it has been arranged with the approval of the Rugby League that the championship trophy, sponsored by Sialom Lager, will be presented to the Humbersiders at the end of

omorrow's game.
Featherstone Rovers are the only team who can inwittingly prevent Barrow from going down, simply by going down themselves. However, they need only to beat Bradford Northern at home tomorrow to avoid the descent, and with Northern playing their fourth game in five days, a home win must be

In the second division Fulhan return home Craven Cottage after winning two midweek matches at the Widnes ground. The Fulkam pitch hasn ot dried out and this will putch hasn of dried out and this will be a good opportunity for the faithful Cottage supporters to salute the winning of the second division championship. York have improved under the coaching of Phil Lowe but it is doubtful whether they can hold out against a Fulham side celebrating a return to the first division

SNOOKER

Higgins: Omen II

Crucible Theatre, Sheffield, today, with a match against the rising young Dean Reynolds of Grimsby. Reynolds is not the easiest of opponents; his slow, steady approach almost upset Higgins in the earlier rounds of the United Kingdom championship at Preston less Mouresphere.

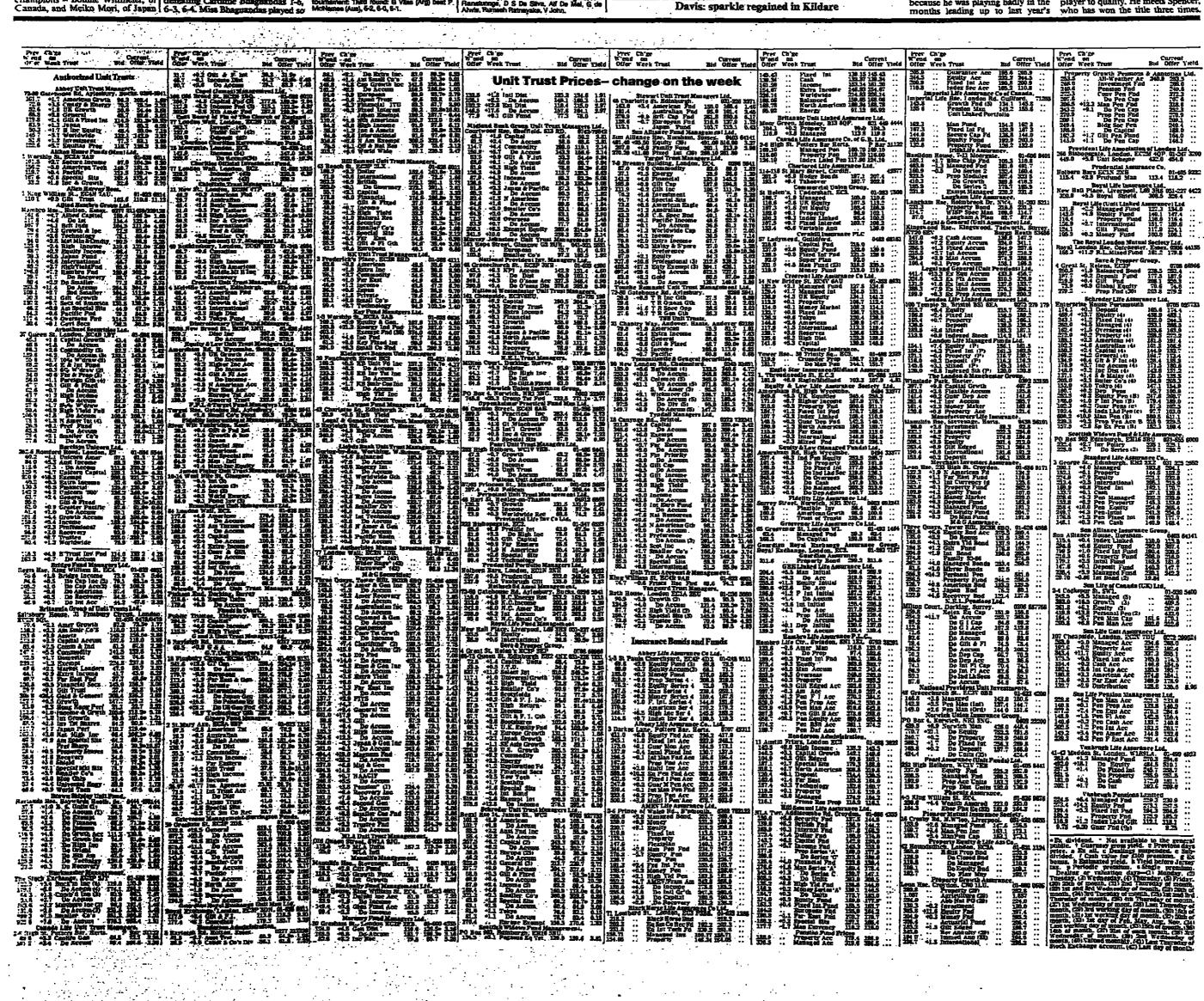
Higgins himself does not think that Reynolds will prove a stumbling block and is looking much further ahead to a possible semi-final meeting with Steve Davis, the champion in 1981, who with his sparkling win in the Irish Masters in Kildare last month, gave notice of a return to form. He made a sparkling break of 133 early in the tournament against Dennis Taylor.

Although Higgins regained the Irish title recently in Belfast, his form has been inconsistent. But this is a factor he counts in his favour because he was playing hadly in the months leading up to last year's

Alex Higgins begins the defence of his world professional title, sponsored by Embassy, at the Crucible Theatre, Sheffield, today, with a match aming the defence event, yet won dramatically by beating Ray Reardon in the final. Reardon, who has won the title six times, looks an outstanding obselvement the horsest held of the control of challenger in the bottom half of the draw. He has an impressive record this season, having won the Professional Players' tournament, the Weish title and the international tournament sponsored by Yamaha Organs. After making a brilliant recovery he lost to Cliff Thorburn, of Canada, in the final of the Masters tournament, sponsored by Benson and Hedges, at Wembley early this year.

Thorburn, who won the world title in 1980 by beating Higgins in the final, is seeded No. 3 and is in the same half as Reardon. So is Jimmy White, whom Reardon defeated in the Yamaha final. In the six years since the event moved to Sheffield there have been six different champions

Mike Hallett, another fine young player, from Grimsby, was the last player to qualify. He meets Spencer, who has won the title three times.



Evidence to suggest that both matches might need replays

The transcript of today's FA Cup defender. United, whose wings have trials at Villa Park and Highbury, been clipped, may not take flight as the last to be held before the case is easily as expected and Arsenal, the last to be held before the case is easily as expected and Arsenal, taken to Wembley's high court on whose spine has been dislocated, may find progress a more comber-Verdict. At least nine key witnesses some task than usual.

will be missing another may not appear and the testimony of two others may not be as reliable as they wondrous display at Highbury when

itself in recent years, are notoriously unpredictable anyway, but most of the evidence that has been gathered over the last few weeks has had to be

rown out within the last few days. Injustice can also still play a surprising role. At Wembley in March, for example, Manchester United's claim to the League (Milk) Cup foundered not so much through Liverpool's skilful cross-examination but more through the loss of initially. Polyton, then Mann and initially Robson, then Moran and finally McQueen. Similar problems have already beset all four clubs.

United and Arsenal are at least ally depleted. Both are without e players and both hold slight

they overwhelmed Arsenal in the first leg of the League (Milk) Cup in February, particularly in the absence of Coppell. He contributed half of United's total in

contributed half of United's total in their 6-3 aggregate victory.

Grimes, who was sent off during one of only five appearances this season, will replace Muhren on the left flank and either McGrath or McGarvey will stand by instead of Macari, a productive substitute. Moran, out for seven of the last nine games with a twisted ankle, is recalled mainly for his experience. For the same reason, Hollins, at the are of 36, and O'Leary return to an age of 36, and O'Leary return to an Arsenal defence that was humiliated



O'Leary: returns to help Arsenal's cause at Villa Park.

by Tottenham Hotspur as well recently. As Sunderland was ruled

sey with Pearce, lost Ryan as well yesterday. The new name is Howlett, aged 20, an Irish youth international making only his fourth senior appearance. Their substitute. O'Reagan, is even younger, 19, and even less experienced. He has never along the the Sections. Sheffield Wednesday have been forced to fill the gap left by Bailey, a full back, who broke a leg at Bolton last week, with Heard, a midfield player. If Lyons, who is suffering

> just recovered from the same injury. As at Villa Park, midfield is the the FA Cup final against Everton 17

(United have yet to concede a goal), joins Woodcock in attack.

semi-final. The casts, however, are

years ago, holds much of his side's hopes. He has scored in every round As the evidence from a notable team of absenters (Jennings, Ramsey, Gidman, Lyons, Bailey, Muhren, Nicholas, Ryan, Coppell, Sunderland and Macari with Cunningham as substitute) will not be called, the verdicts in both cases are likely to be narrow. Indeed,

sentences may not be passed until

HIGHBURY TEAMS

Suspension keeps out Brady

27. Brady is serving a one-match semi-finals. suspension as a result of bookings in the matches against Netherlands

side that beat Malto 1-0 earlier this

SOUAD: J McDonegh (Bolton Wanderers), G Peyton (Fultern), K Morran (Menchester Univer), A Grasilan (Brighton), C Hughton (Tottenham), M Lewrenson (Liverpool), G Waddock (CPR), K O Caleginan (Inverpool), G Daly (Lelestert, J Devine (Arsens), M Wash (Porto), B O'Caleginan (Stoke), M Medin (Newcastel), M Wash (Porto), P Bonner (Celtic), F Stepleton (Menchester United), G Ryan (Brighton), A Galvin (Tottenham), D O'Lean, (Ausena), K Sheedy (Everton), R Wirelan (Liverpool), M Robinson (Brighton), A Grimps (Manchester United), A Grimps (Manchester United), A

chance to lead Wales into the next World Cup. The manager's three-year contract expires today, but the senior international committee have

Aberdeen's mind could be on other things

With the matches, Celtic v Aberdeen at Hampden Park and Rangers v St Mirren at Parkhead, regarded as the closest and most competitive semi-finals for years. Alex Ferguson, the herdeen Alex Ferguson, the herdeen manager, pridicts that what he calls a "touch of class" is more likely than 90 minutes of tactical planing to provide the passport to the final.

He is hoping that Strachan, his midfield player who is a key man in the Scotland team, will be the hero of Hampden, providing the brilliant moves to win what has been described as a final before the final But Stracah has not regained that perky air, which makes him the country's most personable player, since coming back after a long absence. On the other hand, Burns has transformed a sagging Celtic

senior international committee bave recommended that he be offered an extension until July 31, 1986.

Although Aberdeen may be the beetter all-round team, sounder certainly in defence than Celtic, they "I'm delighted for the oppor- are heavily committed to winning "I'm delighted for the oppor- are heavily committed to winning tunity to carry on", England said the European Cup Winners' Cup. A yesterday. "I am very excited about composure brought to Celtic by the standard of young players Burns and added the the goal-scorcoming through". The Welsh ing prowess of Nichloas, markes potential will be put to the test against Brazil on Sunday, June 12.

The match has been fixed for final without an "old firm" club Ninian Park Cardiff with a 40,000 involved - that was when Dunferm-crowd limit.

By Hugh Taylor

The distinguished tuch of two Midlothian 3-1 - and the feeling is players who have just returned to that this season both Celtic and without Liam Brady for the their teams after severe injury can Rangers will be at Hampden on European Championship match tip the scales in favour of Celtic and May 21.

against Spain in Zaragoza on April Rangers in today's Scottish Cup Nevertheless St. Mirren now seem

regulars, Stark, McDougall and Scanlon, ready for the game and they have enjoyed a fine run since eliminating Dundee United from the competition. Yet although St. have still to show strength of

St Mirren's manager, Ricky McFarlane, is adamant there has been a significant change of mood recently and says: "We have an outstanding chance and this time we have no thought of defeat in the semi-final." All that is certain is that the semi-finals, seldom the most enjoyable of matches, should provide superb fare this afternoon. Hamnden Park teams

ABERDEEM (from): J Leighton, S Kennedy, C Rougyle, N Cooper, A McLeish, W Miller, G Strachan, N Simpson, M McGhee, E Black, P Weir, D Bell, J Hewitt, J McMaster, A Watson, CELTIC (from): P Somer, G Sincler, M Reid, R Alton, T McAdam, M Macleod, D Provan, P McStay, C Netholes, T Burns, F McGarvey, G McCliskey, D Crainle, D Moyes.

Parkhead teams A state of the sta

South's hold on Trophy looks secure

By Paul Newman

Trophy, which is the senior Dagenham's season has been week knockout competition for non-bedevilled by injuries but today Ted

CRICKET

Early shocks for India

on the first day of the fourth Test

here yesterday.

Play began 90 minutes late after heavy overnight rain and the West Indian captain, Clive Lloyd, had no nesitation in asking the touring team to bat on a lively, green pitch.
His decision was immediately
vindicated when Holding dismissed Gavaskar for two with the last ball of his first over, it was short pitched and Gavaskar could only find with his glove to the wicketkeeper,

Gackwad was the next to go, caught off a thick edge at fourth slip

WEST INDIES: C G Greenidge, D L Havnes, I V A Facherda, H A Gomes, "C H Lloyd, A L Logie, 19 J Duson, M D Marshelt, A M E Roberts, M A Holding,

Bridgetown (Reuter) - The West
Indian fast bowlers snapped up the
wickets of both Indian opening
batsmen for only 13 runs by lunch
on the first day of the fourth Test

Harare, (Reuter) - The Zimbabwe opening batsman, Ali Shah,
hit the first century against the
Young Australians on their threeweek tour of the country yesterday. His 105 out of Zimbaby innings score of 255 for eight left the home side 256 ahead with one day of the three-day match left. The captain, Fletcher, top scorer in Zimbabwe's first innings with 44,

> The touring team, resuming their first innings yesterday morning at though, neither was expected to 97 for eight, were bowled out for 126. The seam bowler Rawson took the two remaining wickets to finish pith cover for the seam of t with seven for 55. SCORES: Zimbalws, 127 and 255 for 8 (As Sheft 105, O A G Fischer 56); Young Australians, 126 (P Rawson 7 for 55).

added a useful score of 56.

Appeals appeal

Test and County Cricket Board in Nichollses, were at Malvern. All six an effort to limit excessive appealing played cricket for Worcestrahire (it will not be introduced this season, became known as Fostershire) and County captains made it clear at their pre-season meeting at Lord's Corinthans.

yesterday that they falt the The Nicholls brothers have guidelines "would be fairly difficult, proved to be the most improved if not impossible, to implement pair in the rackets season now fairly and reasonably".

Northwich Victoria and Telfrod United today attempt to reach the Wembley final of the FA Trophy and in so doing to arrest the southernmost club to win. In the southward shift in non-League football's balance of power. Northwich travel with a 3-2 lead to Dagenham for the second leg of their semi-final, and Telford go to Harrow Borough hoping to recover from a 2-0 deficit.

In the first 10 years of the FA Trophy, which is the senior

Bishop's Stortford and Enfeld. The same side as last week, which means south's current domination of the Reid, their leading scorer last season. He has been struggling to recover fitness after knee and which the contenders for the title, hamstring injuries. Telford are likely to make changes and take a front at the senior Dagenham's season has been that served them so well last week.

RACKETS Brothers' feat a reminder of the Fosters

By Roy McKelvie The arrival of the brothers Marc round of the open championship sponsored by Delestion Loud-speakers, at Queen's Club sent people searching the record books. When last did brothers reach such a stage, or later? On this occasion

night. in 1898, H. K. Foster, who won y s (As the amateur championship eight Young times, beat his brother, W. L., in the final. As there were six Fosters and all of them excelld at games, it is possible the combination of the brotherhood reached the last rounds The guidelines set down by the in other years. The Fosters, like the became known as Fostershire) and some played football for the Corinthians.

CURLING

THE TIMES SATURDAY APRIL 16 1983



The expected 18,000 starters necessitate a double start. The Blue Start is for men below 4hr 10min, the Red Start for women, novice men and those over 4hr 10min. The estimated times of the leaders on the map are based on a 5min - mile pace

Hill casts a shadow over London prospects

The world's most experienced long-distance runner, Ron Hill, has preparing for tomorrow's London Marathon, sponsored by Gillette.

At a press conference yesterday, Hill maintained that marathon running in Britain had not progressed since his heyday in 1969-70. Nick Brown and Malcolm East, two younger members of the elite

two younger members of the elite, did not contradict him. "Our runners are still not learning the lessons of injuries, of peaking for a marathon, and then resting," Hill said. Hill, who will be competing in his seventh marathon tomorrow, cited the example of Hugh Jones,

competing in the race this year. Lack of foresight and preparation have carainly ruined many of Britain's stopes in major champion-ships during the last decade. Not one of the six runners selected for the two Olympic Marathons of 1976

course.

Hill seems to be everyone's choice for the post of national marathon coach, from which Mel Batty has just resigned. But the post is apparently to b left vacant, and Hill says that his business commit-Hill says that his pusiness commu-ments would prevent him from taking the job, even if it was offered. That should not deter the BAAB. With the cash incentives now being offered to individuals and teams in

for his wealth of experience, but also

wealth Games last October, he has decided to give up his teaching job in Canterbury in order to concen-trate full time on running. Gratton's best time is the 2hr

international marathons, they could six months ago, which is a minute be in a position to offer Hill a slower than the time that Brawn and handsome remuneration, not only East, who is based in the United East, who is based in the United States, have done. Gratton has for his wealth of experience, but also for having been born a little too early to take full advantage of the rewards of the marathon boom.

The man most likely to pick up Hill's gauntlet tomorrow, is Brawn's club colleague, Mike Granton.

Gratton is already preparing to pick up some of those rewards that Hill missed. Since finishing third in last year's event and then winning the bronze medal in the Commonwealth Games last October he bas would chammionships in Helsinki in

Simonsen, and his Norwegian colleague. Oyvind Dahl,
In the absence of Joyce Smith, who will run next weekend's Rome Marathon "as training", Kathryn Binns looks the likeliest winner of

The rumours and repe last week's Rotterdam Marathon an The Ethiopians have still not arrived, and the main contenders for the open race are the joint winner of the 1981 race, luge to American and Australian television seems to be the likeliest source of the suggested \$50,000 that the runners shared

GOLF

EQUESTRIANISM: WOMEN RIDERS TO THE FORE AT BADMINTON

Leading the field for third year

Baylus and Mysic Minsure set the field at the end of the dressage at the Badminton Horse Trials. Miss Bayliss completed a beautifully balanced and rhythmic test to gain oranacet and hydrine test is gain 30 marks which put her II marks ahead of her nearest rival, Virginia Holgate on British National In-surance's Night Cap.

Miss Bayliss and Mystic Minstrel re members of the team which another occasion when they led the field after the dressage. Miss Bayliss is coached by Ferdi Eilberg and has been easing Mystic Minstrel

Miss Holgate and Night Cap performed an active test with plenty of impulsion to achieve her score of 41. Night Cap, who is 10, is Miss Holgate's "second horse", her No 1 being Priceless on whom she helped the team to win the gold medal in the world championships. Priceless is not running at Badminton but is No 2

Lorna Clarke, who has won Burghley twice but never l ton, rode an accurate and straight her score of 44.4, putting her into

The best of the overseas riders was David Green, of Australia, Mairagi Bay, whose 45.8 marks put them into fourth place - two places ahead of his wife, Lucinda, on Beagle Bay. Mrs Green's world championship horse, Regal Realm, does not have the action to produc a top dressage score (he is eighth equal with 51.2), but if he performs today's cross country with his usual speed and accuracy he will be very much in the running.

There was a marked difference of standard between the two dressage days. Thursday's overnight leader, Dalwhimme (M Tucker), had 57 marks. Yesterday, of the 37 riders who competed 13 had a some below 55. Although Miss Bayliss is well in front, there are fewer than 10 marks become the second of the sec between the next nine riders and much will depend on how they fare in today's speed and endurance the toughest phase of the trials.

The director of the Trials, Lt-Col Frank Weldon said yesterday he was not surprised that the riders thought today's cross-country course looks severe. "That is what they are intended to say". He has tried as always to build fences that make the rider think without causing any njury to a horse on the day.

The pile of logs into the lake is the biggest fence into water that Badminton has had. Although it is only 3ft fin high, it is an imposing fecne with a big drop. Colonel Weldon does not think that the impressive New Moom fence (No 12), which has caused some alarm among the riders, will produce undue trouble. He thinks it will

Merganser II, one of the favourites to win the Whitthead Trophy, has been withdrawn from the trial after breaking a blood vessel during a pipe-opener yesterwho had ridden a good test and RESILTS: 1, Mystic Minethel (R Beyles), 30; 2, Night Cap (V Holgate), 41.0; 3, Danville (L. Clerks), 44.4; 4, Maring) Bay (D Green) 45.8; 5, Debyly (Minglisher (C Strachan) 46.0; Beagle Bay (L Green), 47.4; 7, General Buyle (M Tucker), 50.8; equal 8, Watartoo M Hasspersen), 51.2; 9, Regal Resim (L Green), 51.2; 10, The Gray Goose (K Walnes), 51.4.

TENNIS

BASKETBALL

HATICHAL, ASSOCIATION: Mennics 97. Washington Bullets 90; Ports Biscars 120. San Diego Clippers 83.

Girl who confronts the Cresta Run of three-day eventing

sell off some of the household farniture to keep her in the saddle, will turn another page of the rare story which she hopes will reach a climax next year with an Olympic medal in Los It is on the anvil of the

Badminton cross-country course, the Cresta Run of threeday eventing created by the renowned equestrian architect, Frank Weldon, that Olympic prospects and ambitions can be forged or broken. Virginia Holgate is one of that special who, on limited resources contrive, with a recipe of courage and resoultion and not a litle skill, to match the best men around the world. Lucinda Green may be better known, but there could be no more popular winner to step forward and from the Queen tomorrow than being got up in time for the this modest girl who, a few European championships in August. years ago, suffered, and sur-Night Cap is proving an enviable vived, a devastating accident.

> land and pasture of stunning natural beauty, which for centuries has harmonized yeofor complacency. manry and aristocraty, is not only a British institution which bridges most barriers, like the Grand National a week ago, but, among the vast majority of competitors, sets standards of modesty and sportsmanship which still find an echo in Olympic ideals. While Badminton itself surmounts the horizon of any borseman like Mont Blanc, it is no coincidence that for every successful rider the Olympics remain the pinnacle which combines achievement with that other quality which is not easily defined.

Though the medium of television may have familiarized a huge public with eventing, in the same way as it has with

show jumping, it is still true today demand a fractionally that, as with almost every with whom Miss Holgate was fourth last year. Her mother who knows horses, confides: "I hazards are flattened and sanitized by the small screen, to who knows horses, confides: "I the point where considerable don't know what makes the danger is as painless to the ultimate competitor. All I know viewer as just another Starsky is that Ginny, however brave and Hutch car chase. The she herself may be, will never

DAVID MILLER

impossible. synchronize with the landscape This seemingly slight, blonde girl with a cheerful face which, beneath the smile, shows the in a challenge which knows few equals in sport, is something Yesterday morning Miss Hogate was, like every competitor, awake with the birds and the barking dogs for a day which hardly allows a minute's relaxation – exercising her mount, Night Cap, preparing for

the dressage event, then walking the four and a half miles, 33obstacle cross-country course gold medal for the third time, memorizing complex leap, until they are as years around the world followfamiliar as tying her own cravat. ing the Service life of her father, The course alternates annually a Marine who was an outstandbetween clockwise and anti- ing regby player but died two

Showing strain

It will be a severe test of the 10-year-old Night Cap, who will

reality, in which horse and rider ask the horse to do the

strain of months and years of tackle a course in the Europea championships in Denmark which some knowledgeable "impossible". She conquered it. came sixth, and Britain took the

Miss Holgate has ridden years ago, just when she was climbing back towards the international eminence she had achieved when winning the European junior champio

Now that Miss Holgate

lying second after yesterday's dressage, the Whithread confront the course raw, never dressage, the Whithread having competed around it in Trophy is within her reach, either direction, and now totally Twice previously in three dependent on the rider to take attempts she has had a clear the right line, to coax him into round in the cross-country and exactly the right propulsion. He memory has faded of that is, she says, "a perfect gentle-horrendons pre-Badminton fall man", willing to do anything he six years ago when a spectator is asked - quite unlike her first- ran across the course, disconchoice mount, Priceless, at certed her horse, Jason, and he choice mount, present still sick from a ratcarried disease and a real her and fracturing her right arm her and fracturing her right arm her and fracturing her right arm in 20 places. There will he no room for such thoughts today, and indeed she has demonstrated resoundingly that her confidence is unimpaired.

Shots at the sunny day five strokes behind.

Sieckmann, a tall Nebraskan, also strated resoundingly that her confidence is unimpaired.

Turning for home, he again gained

Sieckmann is in the lead

From John Hennessy Golf Correspondent Port el Kantaoui

Tom Sieckmann, of the United

European professional season. He added a 70 to his 68 of the first day to stand on 138, six under par. their last hole in fact the ninth to ruin, temporarily at least, the challenge they were mounting. Ian Mosey, of Manchester, finished a stroke behind, with 71 yesterday, and Des Smyth two strokes behind with a 68.

Both Mosey and Smyth took six at the ninth, said to be 620 yards in length but probably rather less. All the same, it was out of range for everyone yesterday and they both needed three putts when they eventually got home. It was a disappointment com-

pounded a few minutes later when young Michael McLean, who had been hunting them home all afternoon, put his third in the water

Turning for home, he again gained strokes at the second and third holes, without too much call on his reverse head putter this time. Then, he said, "the weather improved and

I lost my concentration.

He took three fives, one of them at a par 4 and also dropped a shot at the short eighth. Loss of concentration. tration seems to have become a universal explanation for all sporting misdemeanours these days. Mosey attributed his sixth at the last hole to that debilitating condition, "brought on by spending too much time out there". His round fasted four hours and three-quarters, but others of course had to suffer the same absurd delays.

Smith had one of the three lowest rounds of the day, forged by two bursts of three successive birdies He holed from five feet on the twelfth (his third), from 12 feet on the thirteenth and reached the loss

fourteenth in two.

In his second half he again got home with single putts at the first, second and third (he is probably the best putter in Europe) and for good measure put a bunker shot from 40 yards stone dead at the long fifth. Among those who survived with the skin of their teeth was Hernfard Langer, of West Germany, one of the most distinguished players in Europe. He needed to add a 73 West his first round 77 and did exactly that

SECOND ROLLIND SCORES: 138: T Sections (US), 68, 71, 138: I Mosey (GS), 68, 71, 148: D Stroyth (fro), 72, 88, 141: C Mession (S), 73, 68: A Garrido (SP), 69, 72, 148: N Hunt (GS), 73, 75: A Garrido (SP), 69, 72, 148: N Hunt (GS), 73, 75: A Garrido (SP), 69, 72, 148: G Brand (GS), 72, 77: D Februry (SP), 71, 72; M Jennes (GS), 72, 77: D Februry (SP), 71, 72; M Jennes (GS), 72, 73; J Februry (SP), 71, 72; M Jennes (GS), 74, 79: J O'Levry (FE), 72, 72; M Humphraye (GS), 76, 83: M Callero (SP), 73, 71, 148: V D'Arroy, (FE), 73, 73; S TOTASICA, (GS), 76, 70; M Raser (Ma), 74, 71; Woodsteam (SB), 75, 70; Clark (GS), 73, 73; M Carlizaren (SP), 74, 72; J Anglada (SP), 73, 73; M Carlizaren (SP), 74, 72; J Anglada (SP), 73, 73; G STO, RS Staphens (GE), 73, 72; B Merchhanks (GS), 74, 72; E Polland (GS), 75, 70.

Pitches unplayable Middlesex, the county cricket hampions, have cancelled practit matches against Hertfordshire & Watford today and Buckingham shire at Slough tomorrow because



Virginia Holgate, aiming for an Olympic medal in Los Angeles next year.

FOR THE RECORD

MATICHAL LEAGUE: Divisionel firets (hest-of-sevent; Wales Conference, Patrick division: New York Islanders 4, New York Rangers I (staunders lead 1-0), Adams division: Buffato Sabros 7, Beston Bruins 4 (Buffato lead 1-0), Campbell Conference, North division: Chicago Black Hawke 5, Minneacta North Stars 2 (Chicago lead 1-0). Surythe division: Edmonton Oligna 8, Calgary Flames 3 (Edmonton lead 1-0).

CROQUET EASTBOURNE South of England champion-ships: londes Trophy (Open Singles) Draw, Somi-linet round: Mrs W RD Wiggins bi W R D Wiggins +21; M J Cowind bit L Wharmed +28 (Tp). Finet Mrs Wiggins bit Coward +16. Process, Semi-linet round: M Tapp bit D L Gunzassitors +4. Descripting Park Salver /24. Guest bt R F Wheeler +24. Process, Semi-final round: Goest bt R P Chappel +18; N G Hyrns wo, Mrs J R Wills and Fhair Guest bt Hyrns +22. Luard Cup (5), & over!: Draw, Final: A K Soper bt D W Staw +1. Process, Semi-final round: C & Pouting bt Mrs A E Allins: +18; Soper bt Mrs J B Tucker +11.

THURSDAY'S RESULTS FOOTBALL
CENTRAL LEAGUE First division: Newcastle
1. Eventon 2: Shelfield Wedneedity 1, Leads 2;
Stolo 3. Coventry 0. Second division:
Sanstey 0. Burniey 0. Middlesbrough 1,
Olcham 2: Presion 2. Chesterdield 0.
MONTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE Netherlield 0.
Chorley 3.
ISTHMAN LEAGUE Premier division. Bogner
Revis 2: Parking 0: Stouch 0. Sutten Living 0. RUGBY LEAGUE

RUGBY UNION

TOUR MATCH: Barbados 3, Southell Collec

ا مدداس الاعل

Proclaim can strike while the iron is hot

Had that happened the racing world would have been awaring the outcome with batted breath. Sadly, at Sailisbury, last Saturday, Guy, Harwood is the first to admit that he otherwise. Diesis' propagation for otherwise - Diesis' preparation for the 2,000 Guineas was interrupted a fortnight ago when he pulled a seven-furioned distance will be just muscle in his quarters while Dick Hern declined to run one as big as Gorytus, who is the very essence of Prodain will never have a better-charge of hearing The Fort than he a good mover, on such soft ground, just a formight before his classic. So today's trial, which is being the other funcied runners, class

standing their ground it is far from prominently in the ante-post betting for the first colts' classic.

Following in the wake of Wollow, Kris and Cajun, Henry Cecil is now attempting to win this race a fourth time in eight years with The Fort. Normally one would not even be Proclaim now.

tempted to look further, especially as The Fort was rated above his Henry Cecil and Lester Piggott rivals this afternoon in the Free should not return home empty Handicap, following his defeat of handed by all accounts they will be a continuous to the continuous terms of Zoffany at Goodwood in the on the mane with Magdalena (2.0) autumn and his victory in the and Adonijah (4.30), in the first and Solario Stakes at Sandown. But last races three things persuade me to oppose The Fort now. The first is Cecil's unusually slow start to the season work that he has been able to give Northern Dancer is arguably the them as a result. The second is The most infinential stallion alive today.

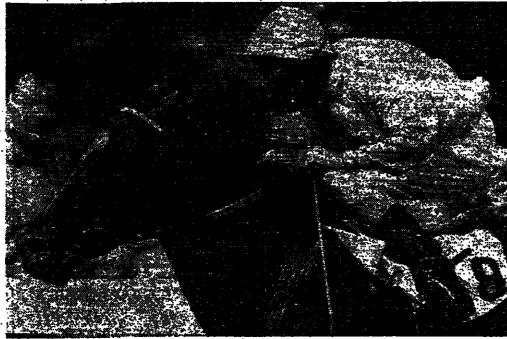
At one time this spring there was a distinct possibility that Diens and that gallop with Diens and two other stable companions on Wedtime since their controversal race at Newbury Newmarket last autumn in the Greenham Stakes at Newbury

Proclaim will never have a better-chance of beating The Fort than he has now. Wassl and All Systems Go, the other fancied runners, clashed sponsored for the 11th year in a row once already before. That was last by the Clerical, Medical and June when Wassl best All Systems General life Assurance Society, is Go by three lengths. Unfortunately not quite what it might have been a torn muscle denied us another Nevertheless, with The Fort, sight of Wassl as a two-yr-old, Proclaim Wassl and All Systems Go whereas All Systems Go went from strength to strength, winning his next four races including the Seaton

Delaval Stakes at Newcastle.

All Systems Go is the subject of encouraging reports from Newmarket, where he is trained by Gavin Pritchard-Gordon, but I still believe that the advantage lies with

so persuade me to oppose
They do not come much better
now. The first is Cecil's bred than Magdalena, who is by
slow start to the season. Northern Dancer out of Madelia
blames on his horses being who won the French equivalent of
tward than usual because our 1,000 Guineas and Oaks in her



The Fort out to strengthen his classic claims in the Greenham Stakes at Newbury

By all accounts Magdalena has been war horses Little Wolf and showing promise to match her Lafontaine. Caught in the right classic of our season at Newmarket, mood, Amyndas will give and good added to the sweepstake, the John as he gets.

Porter Stakes is the most valuable race at Newbury today and what a fascinating trial of strength it promises to be.

Newbury where, to the relief of one fascinating trial of strength it promises to be.

Newbury where, to the relief of one fascinating trial of strength it promises to be.

A year ago Amyndas and Centroline were involved, with not enhance her chances of winning Glint of Gold and Critique, in that the 1,000 Guineas in a fortnight. She pulsating finish. Now they are looked magnificent in the paddock joined by Diamond Shoal, Norwick, Khairpour and Broken Rail, four of too freely for her own good and the horses who ran in the St Legar, basically performed like a sprinter, not to mention those successful old pure and simple. Nevertheless, she Stakes at Epsom next week.

Prix Marcel Boussac at Longchamp on Arc day. Flamenco, who finished fourth behind Goodbye Shelley yesterday will also be switched to the French classic by Ian Balding,

3.10 'SEE IT LIVE' HANDICAP (3-y-o: £2,477: 5f) (10)

216-0 SONGROD (20) A Jarvis 9-7 Tisrvis 5: 1900- DEPORTMENT (D) B Hobbs 9-4 Y Saint-Martin 212- ZENYATTA (D) Denys Sorith 8-12 P Kellahar 3030- ALL IS FORGIVEN D Thom 8-10 S Webster 3134- FLEET RAY (CD) J W Watts 8-9 E Hidde 131-0 NORDAN CENTRE (D) M Carnacho 8-6 A Nasbit 5 20-02 VITTIGESON T FAITURE 8-3 E Johnson 400-8 (D) SEFECTIBILI J Mellandston 8-0 L Character 400-8 (D) SEFECTIBILITY 400-8

3.40 CLIFTON STAKES (2-y-o: £1,786: 5f) (8)

Thirsk Newbury

Tote double 3.0, 4.0. Trebie 2.30, 3.30, 4.30 [Television (BBC) 2.0, 2.30, 3.0 and 3.30 races] 2.0 BUCKLEBURY STAKES (3-y-o maiden filities: £2,653: 7f) (12 runners

FUNNY REEF (Hypotrona Etablissement) R Hought
"HANSI KI RAMI (Essi Commodities) G Lewis 3-11.
[BAGDAL EMA (D Widenstein) H Cacil 3-11
REDELIA (Ledy Clague) P Welwys 3-11
REVELSTOKE (Peter Marchant) R. J Wilsams 8-11
SAR LOFT (J Montson) A Tree 3-11
SEA PORT (R Hollengsworth) W Harn 8-11
TRAME, FAK (R PRINCK) P Walvys 3-11
VEDUTA (Mrs M Clark) H Cardy 3-11
WHAT A PITY (I Hollend-Martin) R Houghton 8-11
WINAT A PITY (I Hollend-Martin) R Houghton 8-11
WINAT A PITY (I Hollend-Martin) R Houghton 8-11 na. 7-2 Vectora. 6 See. Port. 7 Redelle. 10 Formy Reef, 12 Self-Loft, 14 Wilet

2.30 CLERICAL MEDICAL GREENHAM STAKES (Group III: 3-y-o

th: All Systems Go (2-0) 5th beaten 145) to Gorytus (level) 5 ran. Doncaster 7f-sits good i Sep 10. Horthers Trail (8-11) 7m beaten over 140 to Gorytus (level) 73 ran. York 7f alfa.goo 17. Proclaim (8-10) won 1) from Aragon-Javel 6 ran. Salabury 7f sits soft Apr 9. The Fast (5-2) from Zoffany (roc 35) 6 ran. Goodwood 7f sits soft Sep 28. Wassi (9-0) won 3f from A sms 60 (avel) 9 ran. York 6f mon sits good to firm Jane 12.

5.0 MELLOWES METFAB SPRING CUP HANDICAP (26,607: 1m) (20) WES METFAB SPRING CUP HANDICAP (2)
CROSSWAYS & Molley & Wrang 49-10
MOULANDO (D). (Brit A Reich R A Treatrong 49-10
PELTHORPE MARKER (D). (P. Milling C British 48-2
CORN STREET (CD). (A Windred) J Bosley 58-2
PRST PHASE (V Manoulser) & British G British 48-2
CRATAVO (CD). (A Gretton) J Suddith 58-10
BASE 807 (B Hayrecood) R Harmon 48-9
HALLO SURBHME (R Seath) L HOR 48-7
THE RIPLEVITE (D). (E Caupton) G Baiding 48-8
ELBAR (C). (R British) J Donitop 48-5
ELBAR (C). (A Finney) J Sutcliffe 48-6
IDUACU plar J Kvartish? P Cundel 5-8-3
HAVARA (C). (A Finney) J Sutcliffe 48-6
IDUACU plar J Kvartish? P Cundel 5-8-3
HAVARA (D). (S Shelma) G Princhard-Gordon 58-5
WEART (D). (S Shelma) G Princhard-Gordon 58-5
CABALLO (Tweddie French Group K Brassay 47-13
PORTOGON (T Marshal) M Ushter 57-12
EMAN RITTE MIDDLE (B). (P History) D Seate 77-9
SWIFT PALM (CD). (Niervod Company) P Cundel 57-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MORALITY STONE (C). (Ms. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MC CON MS. (MS. 1 Backsy) P Michol 67-7
MS. (C) (Ms. 1 Q Starkey ...P Hills 5 ...B Rouse

in severy (ii-3) 4th beaten 3-1 to highly Fly (no. 13th) with Line City (no. 23th) 5th b reaster for in resp good to soft Mar 2t. Elemer (9-0) 3nd beaten's Uto Felocon Heir (street (pare 5th) 3nd beaten 3-1 interest (pare 5th) 3nd beaten 2-1 int and beaten 4-1 and Perform (no. 24th) 4th beaten 2-1 int an beaten 4-1 and Perform (no. 25th) 4th and Florida The 1 acred 17 and Nempton 1m hickop soft Apr 4. Beat Boy (9-7) 7th beaten 18-1 to 8 vice October (no. 35b) 8th beaten 18-1 in and Florid Peace (gave 46) replaced in 21 in cap point Sep 2-4. Nempton 5-6 fith beaten 18-1 to Regard Sheel (rec 28th) 1 in cap good Sep 2-4. Nempton 5-6 fith beaten 18-1 to Regard Sheel (rec 38th)

CHEN FIRST, 20 ETRAICPOUR.

PRESE, LINEWINSTON (S.-C.) ON INC. KNOWN CATEGORIUM (FIRST TIME). Ascort Tax 4f 26ks good Sep 23. Little of 17-20 Eth besten 5-1 to Denet (rec 68b) 13 nm. Langchamp 1 m 77 110 yd tifes, heavy Det 24. cryndae (3-3 not in fart 9 t Time Chester (rec 10b) 14 nm. Newmentest 1m 2f stor god Oct 16. cuer. Beit (9-0) 8th besten ower 5t to Touching Wood gerel) 15 nm. Doncarter 1m 8f 122 yd stor Sep 17 sep 18 18 nm. Doncarter 1m 8f 122 yd stor Sep 17 sep 17 yout 1m 8f 122 yd stor Sep 18 nm. Yout 1m 8f 125 him May Dismond Shoel (8/5) 45th besten 123 to April Run (geve 48b) 10 nm. Laurel Park 1m 4f stor 15 yr Nov 8 (Resignore (8-5) acon 15 from Capatoon Line (geve 48b) 8 nm. Laurel Park 1m 4f stor 15 con 15 November (8-5) acon 15 from Capatoon Line (geve 88b) 8 nm. Laurel Park 1m 4f stor 15 con 15 November (8-5) acon 15 from Capatoon Line (geve 88b) 8 nm. Laurel Park 1m 4f stor 15 con 15 November (8-7) 88h to imply (gave 8 h) 15 nm. Saint-Glood 1m 2f stor wery soft Mar 19. ILEUTION; Line Well.

4.0 ST ANNE'S STAKES (2-y-o maidens, filles: £1,651: 5f) (5) 22 CLASSICAL VMTAGE (Major T. Jackson) R Hamon & 11.
RLETWOOD GRE, NA'S S Bandas M Blanshard & 11.
O ON MISS BERMORE (B Bigmore) P Candel & 11.
SCLVA (D Gardeld) Mrs C France & 11.
TESLAMEE (J Abdulath) G Hunter & 11. 4.30 COMPTON STAKES (3-y-o maidens: 23,313: 1m) (26) COMPTON STAKES (3-y-o maidens: 23,313: 1m)

33- ADDRIAH (Mrs F Ases) H Coeff 9-0
AL ANIMAR (Shelto McTemered) R Houghton 9-0
BE UTTOR BRIGHT (7 Mellon) I Bridge 9-0
80- COORDE SPRIT (Coombe Ferm Foods) H Coeff 9-0
00-DEPERROYAL (Mrs B Taylor) M McCoeff 9-0
00-DEPERROYAL (Mrs B Taylor) M McCoeff 9-0
00-MCNOMIN (6 Contents) P R Houghton 9-0
00-MCNOMIN (7 Contents) R Houghton 9-0
00-MCNOMIN (7 Mello) Berstand 9-0
00-MCNOMIN (1 Mello) Berstand 9-0
00-MCNOMIN (1 Mello) Berstand 9-0
00-MCNOMIN (1 Mello) BERSTAND (1 Mello) 9-0
00-MCNOMIN (1 Mello) (1 Mello) 9-0
00-MCNOMIN (1 Mello) (1 Mello) (1 Mello) (1 Mello) 9-0
00-MCNOMIN (1 Mello) (1 Mello

Newbury selections By Michael Phillips 2.0 Madgalena, 2.30 Proclaim, 3.0 Crossways, 3.30 Amyndas, 4.0 Tislam By Our Newmarket Corresponder

2.30 The Fort 3.0 Crossways, 3.30 Amyndas, 4.30

Newbury results 2.0 (2.1) ESCHARFTON STAKES (2-y-c: reading 21,774:50. Occurs were 52.0. Places: 22.0. E2.0. E2.0. E2.1. E2.1. CSF: 227.5k. J Trees Marticosuch td. 131. Dubel (11-4 tay): Wild Wiles Winels (5-1) 4th 6 ran. Im (2.58ec. TOTE Wis: 211.70. Pinces: 22.40. \$1.30, 21.3 4.01 (4.1) THATCHAM HANDICAP (72.561; 2m)

WET BOS ch g by Run The Gantist - River Craft(A Simpson) 573 S Devision (11-4 Fev) W. Normes (5-1) 1 Crossley (11-4 ter) 2 P Westron (12-1) 3 4-SC (4-35) STRICTO GREEN HANDICAP (5-7-4

TOTE Wer Bild. Paces 21.70, 21.86, 22.20, Dr. 20.30, CSP. 21.43, Treast 22.20, Dr. 20.30, CSP. 21.43, Treast 22.20, K Bransty at Lambour. 24, 44, Artist's resilia-10.10, 10.10,

Draw advantage: High numbers best. (Television (ITV) 1.30, 2.0 and 2.30 races) 1,30 TIMEFORM RACE CARD STAKES (3-Y-O: £4,698; 1m) (9 runners)

7 Ziena Sozzi 2 w R Swinburn aghton 8-10 ____ Charnook 2.0 THIRSK HALL STAKES (26,255: 6f) (13)

3. 2229- POLLY'S BROTHER (D) M H Easterby 5-9-9 21 3443- BLACK GLAZEFTA A Javis 3-8-0Y Saint-Ma

2.30 WEBSTER'S YORKSHIRE BITTER HANDI-6 1409 COOL DECISION (D) Miss S Hall 8-8-7
7 98-01 FLORIDA SON J Hanson 4-9-3 (4 m) ______ E Johns
18 0469 CRESSON MORENTE Houghton 4-7-8 ______ R Fo
11 0408 ASSERTER (CD) S Norton 4-7-8 ______ J Low
12 0309 RACEY SUNK (bx Jones 4-7-7 ______ J Low
14 200-3 ARDOONY R Hollrahand 5-7-7 _____ W Ryan
16 420-1 CAVALIER SERVENTE (D) P Wichem 5-7-7 (4

Television (ITV) 1.45, 2.15 and 2.55 races] .45 ROYAL BURGH OF AYR HURDLE (Handicap:

2.15 LONDON AND NORTHERN CHASE (Grade II: 1111 MOUNTAIN HAYS (C) M H Easterby B-11-8 4120 BIG BRYMA (CD) R Woodhouse 7-11-3 4121 FRE DRSL (D) K Bishop B-11-3 421 FRE GOOD IC Crusp B-11-3 421 FRE GOOD IC Crusp B-11-3 421 FRE GOOD J S Wilson B-11-3 421 FRE GOOD

(Handicap: £18,643; 4m 120yd) (22) 2119 SICESY (C) O Brannan 5-11-7
403 WHIGORE GEO Miss Sandarson 11-11-7
11-12 EARLE BRISS (C) W Hamilton 8-11-7
1-13: COMPTON LAB M W Dickinson 19-11-8
2003 LENEY DUAL D Nichrison 8-11-2
4131 THREE TO DOE K Offset 72-10-12
1200 CARLE WAGER R Fisher 8-10-11
1201 JACKO (C) D Necession 11-10-10 FLAMENCO DANCER, Revious TWENCE (5) J. Wilson 10-10-6 PORT ASKANG T Former 6-10-8 RED LENC (2) J. M. Maught BOMAN CON. (6) J. Charlton 9-10-9 NARVES. (8) N. Charp 10-10-8 CANTON (5) N. Comp 9-10-0 WAS I RIGHT J. Fizzpend 8-10-0 WAS I RIGHT J. Fizzpend 8-10-0 WAS I RIGHT J. Fizzpend 8-10-0 WAS I RIGHT J. Corrugh 12-1 ARTIC SELVER W. Webs 11-10-3 L. RETHARTS MERE (8) J. Fablance 8-10 ROMAN PAIR. S. Leachedist 10-10-7 ROMAN PAIR S. Leachedis 10-10-7 ROMAN PAIR S. Leachedist 10-10-7 ROMAN PAIR S. Leachedis 10-10-7 ROMAN PAIR S.

Whogos Sec. 20 Carison, 1 worse, 25 character.

Figure 3 character of the property of the prop

2.0 (2.4) SMITON STAKES (2-y-c, £1,413:55)

TOTE: Wit: 27.80. Planes: £2.30, £1.10, £1.00. DP: £4.30. CSP: £12.81. £ Edin st Résymerist. V. £1. Itáls Miss Horner (33-1) 4th 14 zm. Tain Taig £-1). withdrawn not under ordets. Buila four applies. Deduct 10p in pound. ordets Ruis foor applies, Decist Top at poun-2.30 p.31) IOANTON STAICES (selling: E1.103. CARAN. D'ACHE ch. g., by Hustercombe – Alterrites (Lord Chebrode) 4.8-7 J Matthias (6-1) 1. Alterrites (Lord Chebrode) 4.8-7 J Matthias (6-1) 1. Alterrites (1.00 p. 10

TOTE: Wire 27.00. Places: 22.00, 21.80, 23.40. DP: 220.80. CSP: 552.55. D Moothead at TOTE: Wir. 22.10. Places: \$1.50, \$1.90, \$1.00. OP: \$1.50. CSP: \$7.00. \$ Notice at Burnsley, \$1. 70. CSP: \$7.00. \$ Notice at \$4.0 (4.3) \$TRAITLACE STAKES (Div I maiden: \$60ex \$1.297. 100) 2.45 (2.46) SEATIELD CHASE (novices: £1,852 am 110yd)

1 OUR DYNASTY (2) M Lambert 9-4 EVIPPOS B Hobbs 8-11 LITTLE WIZARD Mrs M Neshit 8-11 MANY GOD D Chapman 8-11 MASTER DRIVER Denys Smith 8-11 SAMS WOOD T Paintural 8-11 TAMPEN M H Easterby 8-11 TRIAD TREBLE Hix Jones 8-11 4.10 OAKSTRIPE HANDICAP (£2,708: 7f) (16) 9 0310- FAIR MADAME C Booth 3-8-0 . 0 0000- ROMAN QUEST P Rohan 4-8-0 3 Swingkr Cowboy, 9-2 Take A Cerd, 11-2 Wibis Range, 6 klydrone air Madame, 8 Open The Box, 12 Witche's Point, 16 Begnacern, 2

Thirsk selections By Michael Seely
1.30 Horage. 2.0 On Stage. 2.30 Florida Son. 3.10
Deportment. 3.40 Our Dynasty. 4.10 Ballnacarn. By Our Newmarket Correspondent
1.30 Sherwalk. 2.0 On Stage. 2.30 Noble Gift. 3.10
Deportment. 3.40 Evippos. 4.10 Take A Card.

Nothingham 3m it cap chase, good, Mar 22. Flasmenco Dantor (11-9) 2nd beaten 3 to Tenies Lad (rec 170) 5 ran. Utbooter 3m 2f Hosp chase, newy, April, Red Cleric (10-12) won 2f inno Chance Command (rec 60) with Roman Con (gave 1b) 7th beaten over 50 to ran. Ayr 3m 110yd hicap chase, good, Mar 12. Narvik (11-6) won 6f from Rose well Reliver (rec 40) with Artic Silver (rec 180) 6th beaten 28 to 15 ran. Cartesis 3m fricap chase, soft, Apr 2. Casten (10-3) 3m beaten 28 to Peaty Sandy (gave 28b) 10 ran. Kelso 5m fricap chase, heatry, Mar 23. Was I Right (11-2) won 3f from Hello Killiney (rec 17b) 10 ran. Hereford 3m 1f nov hole, heatry, Apr 9. SELECTION: Earls Brig. Was I Right, E.W. 3.30 TORRANYARD HURDLE (4-y-o novices: £1,760:

1 VOOLIN (D) N Crump 11-0 ... 00 BANTEL SOY C Bell 10-9 ... 03 BLACKFEET J S Wilson 10-9 ... 0 BLUE TAROLIN N Crump 10-9 10-11 Benfen, 4 HB's Guard, 6 Voolin, 10 Lance Of St George, 12 4.0 ROYAL HIGHLAND CHASE (Handicap: £2,540:

4.30 R M C HUNTER CHASE (Novices amateurs: 3m

TOTE: Wirz. £250, Places: £1.50. £1.80, 22.40, DF. £2.20. CSP. £7.50, DR. £1.50, 21.50, EV. DP. £1.90. CSP. £7.50, DR. £1.60, DR. £1 3.15 (3.16) SCOTTISH CHAMPION HURDLE (handcap: 24.548: 2m)

TOTE: Wire 244.50, Places: 23.70, 21.70

B Raymond (4-1)- 2 21.40, Dr. 258.00, CSF: 2121.15, Ld Namary at 1 Ives (7-1) 3 Cuper. 24, B. Royal Ministrel (5-2) 4th, 8 ran. TOTE Wir. 22.70. Piaces: £1.00. £1.30. \$2.50. DF: 85.40 CSP: \$2.26. C Thomson at Middlehem, 4i, 4i, Fast Denoer (60-1) 4th. 10 CLOUWALKER or b by Dragonera Paiscs — TOTE Wire 29.00. Places: \$2.00, 21.70, 21.50, Dr. 21.20, CSP- 252.05. Tricesc 572.256. M Lambert at Melton. 3, 1, 1. Seammen (8-1) 4th. 18 ran. NR: Viza Veritais, & Feu Rouge.

1 3 4.45 (A.45) ADAMMEL HIRTER CHASE 1.80. (eministri: \$222 3m 110yds) ad at. GAYLE WARNENG in g by Perspax - Cathy Say) Gole (8 11 7) _____ A Dudgeon (10-11 fay) 1 Solar Bee _____ T Reed (11-1) 2 (cer. General Brane _____ D Metralite (20-1 fay) 3 TOTE: Win: £1.50. Places: £1.30, £5.30. DF: £4.70: CSF: £5.73. J Duzieon at Kirdaton. 12, 1 L. Dei Harralid (15-1) 4th. 6 res. NF: Queenaberry Led.

deputizes for

مِكذا من رلامل

Danzatore

By Our Irish Racing Correspondent, Dublin

Danzatore is an absentee from this afternoon's McCairns classic trail at the Phoenix Park, but his trainer, Vincent O'Brien, was away from Ballydoyle yesterday and no official comment was forthcoming on runours derimental to the weell being of the colt, which had circulated since the middle of the

In the absence of Danzatore Vincent O'Brien relies on Ancestral. who won both his starts in Ireland last season, but disappointed grievously when last of five to Diesis in the William Hill Middle Park Stakes at Newmarket last

Autumn.

Ancestral has to give 51b to Rock n'Roller who also carries the colours of Robert Sangster, but who is trained at The Curragh by Mick

That task could be beyond the top weight as Rock n'Roller had some very promising runs last season including finishing second to Horage in the Gimerack States at

The Sangster colours will also have a double stable entry in the Mulcahy three-year-old fillies stakes. Barry Hills, the Lambourn trainer, has sent over Bright Cone, but although she finished up her two-year-old career with a win at this distance at Catterick, her claims look less impressive than the other trained by Dermot Weld.

Royal Vulcan wins

Royal Vulcan got the better of a rare battle with Ekbalco on the flat to win the Scottish Champion Hurdle by a head at Ayr yesterday. The pair had the race to themselves in the closing stages after the long-time leader Gay George, last year's winner, weakened. Royal Vulcan will now go for the Tia Maria Hurdle at Haydock on May 2, when Ekbalco is also expected to be in the Ekbalco is also expected to be in the

Ancestral Horage to show way for Saint-Martin

Yves Saint-Martin, 14 times
French champion jockey, can make
his first visit to Thirsk, a memorable
who halls from the same stable as occasion by winning the Timeform the Free Handicap winner, Boom Racecard Stakes on Horage this Town Charlie, must be the one that afternoon. This is the man who has they all have to beat. Last season, twice shown Lester Piggott the way Bill O'Gorman won five races with home in the Prix de l'Ace de this useful colt including the Triomphe, the first time when clarence House Stakes at Ascot's riding Sassafras to victory over Nijinsky in 1970, and again in that memorable finish between Akiyda Hill Scottish Grand National Peter Company of Authors Instances and Instance

and Ardross last year.

Craggs gave the crowds a shock
Horage should provide a fitting when bringing the 33-1 chance King
yehicle for Saint-Martin's talents.

Con home over this extended four Bought by Matt McCormack for miles five years ago. But he will be only 8,000 guineas as a yearling, the cheered all the way to the winning Tumblewind colt won an incredible nine races as a two-year-old. And he outstanding hunter chaser won his

nine races as a two-year-old. And he outstanding hunter chaser won his had certainly had enough for the season when only finishing fourth to total of 80 lengths last season, and Salieri in the Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury.

Horage raced with courage and test throughout the year. He showed battling qualities of the highest order when beating Kafii in the Coventry Stakes at Ascot and again when giving weight to On Stage in Earls Boje has since proved his well. when giving weight to On Stage in the July Stakes at Newmarket. A win in the Grimcrack Stakes at York represents Horage's other pattern race victory.

McCormack is delighted with his last spring's Whithread Gold Cup at Stage and has been in sood form.

hero. "He has pleased me in his preparation, and we are hoping for the best" Shackle Pin could pose a threat Jack Hanson's Americanbred colt only won one race last season, but was beaten only about four lengths when fifth to Dunbeath and Cock Robin in the William Hill Futurity at Doncaster. Shearwalk, Johnny Nobody and Larionov also have to be considered. But is Horage has retained his ability he should be

At Doncaster, Our Dynasty won like a two-year-old of above average ability when sprinting home by four lengths in the Brocklesby Stakes. Michael Lambert had tested the colt several times against older horses beforehand, and the consequent heavy backing was justified.

and beat Canton and Roman Con there over three miles last month. Skegby finished down the course at Liverpool, but had previously won in good style at Doncaster and Sandown. There are a host of runners with chances including Narvik, Jacko and Compton Lad. in a race, but if he survives any equal to his task.

Saint-Marlin could well complete a treble by winning the "See It Live In York" Handicape on Bruce Hobbs's filly, Deportment, and the Clifton Stakes on Our Dynasty.

In a race, but if he survives any blunders he should prove too strong for Whiggie Geo and Compton Lad.

Today's Point-to-points

Today's Point-to-points

Bedale & West of Yore at Bedale (2); Selvoir at
Garthope (2); Brases of Darwent at Tranvell
(2); Essex at Marks Toy (2); Glamorgan at
Covertidge (2); Helocombe Harriers at
Whitington (2); Ludlow at Bitteriey (2); Meynell
& S. Staffs at Stone (2); H. Ledbury at tiptonon-Severn (2); Pertuses at Bedbury Rings (2);
Tetcott at Crimp (2); West Kent at Percharat
(2); W. Somerset Vele at Nedge (2); Whaddon
Chase at Little Horwood (1.45).

Sandown and has been in good form recently. Red Cleric likes the course

and heat Canton and Roman Con

Escaline to shine at Longchamp

Longchamp tomorrow when the sun has finally appeared to dry the saturated track of some two weeks the French breds and my selection for is Aliverton, even though the colt has finally appeared to dry the saturated track of some two weeks de Paille who chased Lovely Dancer Held in esteem by Francios Boutin. old. A previous outing this season home in the Prix de Courcelles on Allverton won the Prix de Villebon could still be an advantage so I am Easter Monday. Lovely Dancer was last September from Northern spine for Fscaline to take the group rupper-up to Dom Pasquini in last. Fashion who on Wednesday

CHASE (handicap:

CHASE (amateurs: £762: 2m 6f) (11)

7-4 Proven Dete, 11-4 The Ganger Man, 5 (vernus, 13-2 Tugboat:

15 001 The Irish Rhine 5-10-11 (7 ex)

3.45 BAULKING GREEN

2.15 ILMINGTON

2.45 MIDLAND RA

ix Vanteaux from Aborigine.	runner-up to Dom Pasquim in last Sunday's Prix Greffuebe.	Fashion who on Wedne captured the Prix Kefalin
Stratford	Huntingdon	Bangor
MINGTON HURDLE (setting icap: £742: 2m) (14) Probabilist 4-11-7 Gay Minsterl 5-11-3 Russian Salad 4-11-1 Russian Salad 4-11-1 Robert Hiver Warfor 5-10-10 P Liddcost 7 Debuch River 4-10-7 Casal Royale 5-10-7 La Salve (2) 5-10-7 Champagne Glery 4-10-7 Champagne Glery 4-10-7 Champagne Glery 4-10-7 Hongchow 5-10-7 Hongchow 5-10-7 Solito Court 5-10-7 Solito Court 5-10-7 Solito Court 5-10-7 Solito Court 5-10-7 Champagne Glery 4-10-7 Solito Court 5-10-7 Solito Court 5-10-7	2.0 ABBOT RIPTON CONDITIONAL JOCKEYS HURDLE (Selling handi- cap: 2505: 2m) (13 numers) 1 Metro Maid (5) 4-11-10 R Hadield 4 2 3p0 Jog 5-11-10 A Madgwick 5 01-2 End 01 Era 5-11-6 D Morris 4 6 p0p Benny Craws 6-11-4 C Soley 4 12 D00 Methary Crows 6-10-11 M Carberry 4 13 022 Lord Charles (6) 4-10-9 .C McSharry 19 pop Aliced Beaumst 5-10-5 T Henney 4 20 403 Stellan Gold 5-10-5 T Henney 4 20 403 Stellan Gold 5-10-5 P Harrison 4 22 -up0 Yammanolo (8) 5-10-5 P Harrison 4 23 000 Ramprides Star (6) 4-10-5 A Ricketts 4 25 000 Pawa And Javes 5-10-5 Sonia Simmons 4 3 Lord Charles, 9-2 End Of Era, 7 Skellan Gold, 8 Lidle Tyrent.	2.15 FINLAS HURDLE (Div I non £483: 2m 60yd) (18 runners) 1 100 Bromeyn 5-12-0 K Ta 2 21f Celtic Cracker 5-12-0 G B 5 03 Bisekbrook Star 5-11-4 T 10 f Kracere 5-11-4 T 11 p Lima Loo 5-11-4 T 12 Little Rosis 5-11-4 T 18 00 Some Jot 5-11-4 R 18 00 Some Jot 5-11-4 M 19 002 Tarqogan's Choice B-11-4 M 19 002 Tarqogan's Choice B-11-4 M 19 000 Treasurer JribBee 6-11-4 M 1
IDLAND RACECOURSECHASE- rices: £1,751: 2m) (16)	2.30 PAPWORTH CHASE (Handicap: £1,945: 2m 4f) (10)	7-4 Tarqogan's Cholce, 9-4 Celtic Cr 9-2 Super Brat. Treasures Jublies.
St Alezan 6-11-9	6 p.23 Carrigeon Hill 12-11-7 A Webber 8 -42f Herry Hotspur 13-11-5 Mr Thompson Jones 9 fül Craise Missile 7-11-4 "P Croucher 7 11 2pp Major Owen (8) 14-10-13	2.45 McALPINE CHASE (novice h cap: £2.344: 2m 4f 70yd) (15) 3 R01 Wahnut Wonder 8-11-12 (5 ex) G Charles-Ji 4 231 Bellymlan 6-11-8 (7 ex)PV
Chryslopos 6-11-0 Suthern Correct Check 9-11-0 P Carvil Cosmic Occesion 8-11-0 P Carvil Luckwell Bridge 7-11-0 Major Gembie 9-11-0 Vincent Major Gembie 8-11-0 Carvill Major Gembie 8-11-0 Carvill	M O'Halloran M O'Halloran R Rowel R Rowel R Rowel 16 3u0 Swift Alberty 9-10-8 M Pepper 4 17 02p Mester Medody 12-10-8M Bestard 23 0p1 Devil's Brig 12-10-0 (4 ex) = 25 (fit) Ratewick Prespect 7-10-0	5 11f Lorentino 6-11-6

DLE (Handicap: £1,959: 3m) (12)

-fOu By The River Side 11-10-0 D Mullarior Mr A Sharpe 4
11 02p Just Jake 14-10-11M Richards
15 021 January 9 70 70 3.30 JAMES PAINE CHASE (Novice 13:30 JAMES PAINE Cha-handicap: 22:08: 2m) (7) 2 1f0 Capyleta 8-11-8 4 213 Esparto 8-11-3 5 08 Lafrak City 6-10-10 9 02 Browndodd Lad 8-10-4 3.45 MARCHWIEL HURDLE (handkap: 11 412 Philosom 6-10-2 P Barrer 14 21 Some Janes 7-10-0 (7 ex) P Barrer 18 p0p Pedibus (8) 7-10-0 Mr Moore 1

4.15 GILBERT COTTON HUNTER CHASE (amateurs: £855: 3m 200yd) £453: 2m 80vd) (18)

HUNTBIGDOM SELECTIONS: 2.0 Little Tyrent 2.30 Crube Missie. 3.0 Maurice's Tp. 3.30 Esparto. 4.0 Loyal Partner. 4.30 Real View, 5.0 Autumy's Toy,

HOCKEY Ireland certain of place in last four

From Joyce Whitehead, Kuala Lumper

Ireland have qualified for the semi-finals of the Inter-continental Cup. They beat Hongkong 4-0 here yesterday to complete their fourth win in four marches. They have only Belgium to play in their group.
Ireland were seeded only
seventh in the cup and if they
reach the final they will be

reach the final they will be assured of a place in the World Cup tournament next time. They had a fine spirited game against Hongkong, who held them for the first 25 minutes, then came the goals, two from Gwen Paul and two from Sandra Drum, on of which was due to a mistake by Hongkong's sweeper. The ball was cleverly picked up by Miss Drum and swept into goal.

England finished their match against New Zealand on Thursday with two injured Thursday with two injured players. Kim Gordon's knee

has responded to treatment, and she is fit, but Vicki Dixon's ankle is still swollen, and she is a doubtful starter for today's World Cup match. England play the Soviet Union at 7.30 a.m. Scotland meet India at 9.0, and Wales play Netherlands at 5.0.

West Germany fought their way back into the reckoning for a place in the semi-finals by beating New Zealand 1-0 in group B,

PWDLFAP9 4211645 31205434 4202434 41.12553 4111233 Cenada England West Germany New Zealand Argereina Soviet Union INTER-CONTRIENTAL CUP: traiant 4, Hongkong D; Zimbabwa 2, Franca 0.

Neston weakened

By Sydney Friskin

Neston, the Cheshire Cup holders, will have to do without Chris Ashcroft, their No. I goalkeeper, and David Peters, the mainstay of their defence, for the final stages of the national club championship, sponsored by Rank Xerox, at St Albans this weekend. Neston are due to meet Southgate, the holders, in the semi-final round today (3.30). Earlier, starting at 1.45, Slough will play Beckenham. The winners will qualify for the

final tomorrow (2.45).
Ashcroft and Peters are both in the Welsh squad who are on a training weekend today and tomorrow at Cardiff in prepa-

Southgate will be at The Hague from May 20 to 23 trying to recover the European club championship they had won from 1976 to 1978. Their immediate task is the retention of their national title and Neston could be a difficult obstacle to surmount. Neston will be well served by their two England internationals, Wilkinson and Robbie Smith,

WEEKEND FIXTURES

Kick off 3.0 unless stated **FA Cup Semi-finals** Brighton v Shatfield W (at Highbury) Manchester U v Assenal (at Villa Park)

First division Coventry v Birmingh Manchester C v West Ham _ Notts Co v Luton ..

Southampton v Liverpool Swansea v Stoke . Tottenham v fpswich.

Second division Blackburn v C Palace Cambridge U v Sirrewsbury ... Cartisle v Burnley . Cheisea v Nawcastia ... Derby v Barnsley

Grimsby v Middlesborough Leeds v Futham ...

Third division

Bradford C v Millwall

Brentford v Walsall . Bristoi & v Preston .. Chesterfield v Exeter Doncaster v Oxford U . Newport v Portsmouth (3.15)...... Orlent v Huddersfield Plymouth v Sheffield U ..

Reading v Gillingham ... Southend v Bournemouth Wigan v Carditi ..

Fourth division

Blackpool v Bristol C . Bury v Peterborough . Chester v Northampton Hereford v Wimbisdo Manafield v Trenmere Port Vale v Aldershot

Rochdale v Stockport Swindon v Hull Scottish Cup Semi-finals Aberdeen v Celtic (at Hampden Pk.) ..

Rangers v St Mirren (ot Celtic) **Scottish Premier** division

Scottish first division Airdrie v Raith

Clyde v St Johnstone Dumbarton v Hamilton Dunfermline v Queen's Park Hearts v Clydebank Partick v Falkirk

Alloe v Ayr -

Scottish second division

Arbroath v Brechin ... E Stirling v Queen of South .. Forter v Cowdenbeath . Montrose v Stenhousemuir Stirling v East Fife .

Strammer v Berwick

FA TROPHY: Semi-finale, second legical pagenham v Northwich Victoria; Harrow-FROTOLIGH v Telford.

ALLIANCE PHEMIER LEAGUE: Bangor City v Kettering; Barnet v Trovbridge; Bath v Enfeld; Modistone v Huncom; Scarborough v Albricham; Weymouth v Wesidstone: Worcaster v Frieldey; Yockel Sarrow.

CENTRAL LEAGUE: Pest division: CHITRAL LEAGUE: Pest division: Newcaste v Aston Ville (2.0). Second division: Ordinan v Sunderland (2.0).

FOOTBALL COMBINATION: Ipsaich v Chesses West Ham v Leicester (2.0).

IRISH LEAGUE: Bengor v Generor.

Collection v Lardelt: Distillary v Crusaders; Larne v Cathorville; Portacion v Ards (1.0).

NORTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE: Choriev v Tamworth; Gainsborough v Netherfield: Goole v Cowestry.

Grantham v Haccideliste; Martine v Matiock, Moreambe v Gaischard: South Livenpool v Euron; Scuriport v Hyde; Worksop v Witton.

Worksop v Witon.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE: Premier division:
Addiesture and Weybridge v A P
Leamington: Cheimsford v Gravesend:
Dautford v Kidderminster: Ferebund v
Stourbridge: Groundster v Goscort:
Hassings v Dorchester: Poole v Corby:
Witney v Westing, Biddland division:
Aylesbury v Bernisgrove; Sridgwafer v
Bernings, Mitton Keynes v Cheunham:
Authority Tytill: Westingborough v
Willenhast; Bridgend v Dudley, Southern
division: Ancover v Durstaber;
Centerbury v Houristor; Craviley v Willenhaft, Bridgerd v Dudiny, Soothern
division: Andower v Durstaber,
Genterbury v Hounelow, Crawley v
Ashford: Erim and Betredore v Dever.
Folkessions v Thanet, HämpdonBorrough v Cambridge City, Tonbridge v
R S Southamption, Woodford v
Sallsbury, Cup Flank second leg:
Waterlooville v Alvechurch.

ARTHUR DUNN CUP: Plazi (et Dulwich Hamlet FC): Old Chigwellishs v Lancing Harrist FC; One Collyment is a Chalsen College Ground, Morton; Old Carriu-Stans v Old Harrovisns AFA SENGOR CUP: Fleat: Norsemen v South Bark Polytochnic (at Bank of England FC, Roshempton)

WORLD CUP: United States 1, India 0: Notherlands 1, Australia 0; Canada 2, Argentine 0: West Germany 1, New Zealand 0. GROUP B

ration for their international ration for their international matches against Netherlands at Swansez on April 23 and 24. Also in the Welsh training squad is David Thomas who is isted to play for Southgate. The onus is on Thomas to decide which way to go.

NORTHERN COUNTIES BAST LEAGUE: Premier division: Afreton v Brodington: Timity: Apolety Frodingham v Spaiding; Bertiey Victoria v Sutton Town; Eastwood v Writeriour; Guisely v Arnott: Heanor v Boston; Illestey v Guisborough; Stegness v Entey;

dey v Belper. THURIAN LEAGUE: First division: vvykehamists v Wastminsters.
ATHENIAN LEAGUE: Bansteed v
Marlow, Burnham v Newbury, Chainons
St. Peter v Redrill, Edgware v
Whyteleafe; Hoddesdon v Reclovell
Hearth; Horley v Ruistip Manor.
Kingsbury v Chertsey; Thetcham v
Grays.

Heatit: Horley v Russign Marnor:
Kingsbury v Chestsey: Thatchain v
Grays.
STHRIAN LEAGUE: Premier division:
Barking v Bromley: Bognor Regis v
Working: Croydon v Stough: Heardon v
Dutwich Hamiet: Hitchin v Tooting and
Micham: Leasthethead v Wycombe;
Leytonstone/libror v Carshelton; Sutton
v Bishop's Stortfort; Working, v
Chesham United; Farmborn United v
Harlow (250): Hampfron v Metropolitan
Polica; Hertford v Borshem Wood;
Lewes v Horndrunch: Oxford Cty, v
Ebeom and Ewell: St Albans v
Matienhead; Walton and Hersham v
Chestumt; Wernbley Feltham;
Worthing v Tibury. Second division:
Basikion v Hermal Herncelead;
Corinthian Casuals v Harwich and
Parkeston: Claption v Egham;
Barton v Leyton-Wingste; Epping v
Dorking; Hungerford v Letchworth
Garden Cty; Molessey v Barton;
Rainham v Lubridge; Southel v
Finchey; Tring v Horsham; Windeor and
v Sparrymmor, North Shelds v Durham;
Blyth Sparrams v Willington; Ashington v
Tow Lew; Shiddon v Whitby; West
Auckland v Consett Everwood v Crock,
Ferrydial v West Columbies LEAGUE:

NOATH WEST COUNTES LEAGUE
Astron v Leytand Motors; Bootle v
Congletont; Darwen v Stossop; Formby v
Accrington Stanley; Leek v Lancaster;
Perurin v Nantwich; Prescut Carles v
Curzon Astron; Ring v Statistridge
Celtic; St Neiens v Norwich EM.
WESTERN LEAGUE: Pentier divisions
Biddeford v Shepton Mallet; Britoport v
Devizes; Chippenham v Barnstaple;
Eurocuth v Keynsham; Frome v
Plymouth anyle fiserves; Liskeard v
Weston-Super-Mare; Mediaham v
Faumouth Saltash v Cevedon.
SOMERSET PREMIER CUP: Sens-Imail:
Chard v Taurion.

RUGBY UNION CLUB MATCHES

Aberavon v Swanse Bradford v Liverpool Cardiff v Neeth. Cross Keys v Birmingham Fylde v New Brighton

Harrocata v Moriev. Maester v Leicester

Northampton v Headingly... Orreil v Huddersi Pontypool v Covertry ...

Rosslyn Park v Birkenhead Park...

Torquey v Newpor

Tredegar v Penarth. ICE HOCKEY ENGLISH CHAMPIONSHIP First, first leg: Cleveland Sombers v Durham leg: Cleveland Sombers v Durham Wasos (6.30). ERITISH LEAGUE Second division championable: Final, first leg: Soffuel Barons v Granaby Buffalces (6.0). Barons v Grainsby Buriarous (vv.)
LACROSSE
NORTH OF ENGLAND LEAGUE First division: Melor v Cheadle; Old Stoplordans v Heston Marsay, Shaffled Americans and

Stoplordians v Heaton Merssy, Sh University v South Manchester Wildhood

TOMORROW FOOTBALL (2-0) FOURTH DIVISION: Stockport v Torquay (2.30) ALLIANCE PREMIER LEAGUE: Trowbridge v Barrow NORTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE: Mossley v Granthem; Notherfield v RUGBY LEAGUE

FIRST DIVISION: Featherstone Rovers v Bradford Northern (3.30); Hull v Barrow; Leigh v Leeds (3.30); Hull v Barrow; Castisford; St Meiers v Carlele; Widnes v Wisan; Workington Town v Hull KR v Wigart Pronunger.
[3.30].
SECOND DIVISION: Bleckpool Borough v Dorcaster: Breziley (Sellort; Ceroff City v Keghley (3.30); Fulhart v York: Swinton v Batley; Wakefield Town v Huyton (3.30); Whiteheven v Hunclet

RUGBY UNION CLUS MATCH: Rugby v Broughton Park.
DEVON CUP: Semi-final: Tiverton v
Devon and Comwell Police.
BASS MEET TABLE: Bridgester and
Albight Pennyt Felmouth v Stroud.
SEVENS TOURNAMENTS: Kent (at
Maidstone RFC, Moto Park, Maidstone,
1.0): Surrey - Final Rounds (London
rish RFC, Sunbury-on Thumes, 1.0) iske
of Wholft RFC. ICE HOCKEY

CE NUCRET

ENGLISH CHAIMPIONSHIP Finel, second leg: Durham Wasso v
Celevalund Bombers (7.0)
CHALLENGE GAME: Shraitham Redsking v Southampion Vidings (7.0)
HOCKEY

COUNTY HATTHER LA Windows But HOCKEY

COUNTY MATCHES (at Wardown Park, Luten, 2.45); Bedfordshire v Essex; Bedfordshire v21 v Essex U21.
REFRESPITATIVE MATCH: Combined Services v Guidford HC (at Attenshird), BESIKSHIRE CUP: Finest Meldenhead v Reading (Mademhead HC, Bray, 2.56), SUSSEX CUP: Finest Essex Grystepel (at Essexorme HC, 3.30). MANY PROPHETS and righteets men have desired to see those things which we see. and have not seen them. St Matthew 15: 17.

BIRTHS SOVIE - On April 15th, at St. Teresa's, Wimbledon, to Julia unce Thompson) and Jornes - a son (Nicrobas Martin). Thomsson) and Jumes - a son (Nicroles Martin).

FACNY, on March 27th in Lendon.

FACNY, on March 27th in Lendon.

Christine and William - a daughter.

Sopple Mary Legrand.

GUTHREY on 16th April. at Hain Wycombe Ceneral Hospital. to Ruth Mycombe Ceneral Hospital. to Ruth Ches Martin. and Truett, a daughter.

Audrey Ruth.

JAWAN - CLARIN - on 14th April to Peter & Devina pee Warren! nods gait of a son disminant John P.T.L.

SSERIUS.—To Joveny and Erizabeth (nee Burdin)—a can (Peter William). Son Williams born Wellington. New Zealand. 18th March. Brother for Rachel.

JOHAL - On 9th April to Tameem (nec Mirza) and Makham - bessed a son (Ahnar Teahveen).

JOMES - On February 26th, al home (o Caroline fore Column) and Richard - a son Laurence Michael. a brother for Edward.

MARTIN C. 25th February. Lo

- a son, Laurence Michael, a brother for Edward.

MARTIN - On 28th February. In account and Christopher, a daughter and Christopher, a daughter and Christopher, a daughter the second and the second and the second and the second and feet a son dear Principle and Patil a son dear the second and Patil a son dear the second d for Cris.

SHAWCROSS. - On 13th April. 1963.

at The Royal Berichter Hospital. In
Alison (nee Gunnell) and Christopher

- a daughter. Obstriet Claire).

SHEPHERD On April 14th 1985 to
June (née Molcolm) and Richard. a
daughter. Annia Liucy. a sister for
Christopher.

SKAT, you're ever genile on my mind. Many Happy Returns. X. T W.C.

DEATHS

HOWN - on April 14. at St Andrews Home. Edenbridge. Jessie Vers Lawford, MBE. sped 94. daughter of the late Colonel F. D. M. Brown V. and Mis Brown. Funeral at Holo Transy. Colon April 18. Dec. on Wednesday. Colon April at Spm. (oflowed by crem-ation at Tunbridge Wells. 20th April at Sem. followed by crainstion at Tumbridge Wets.

CALLOW — on 12th April at
Marrinagh Ballajora Maugnold, bie
of Man, Dr. R. K. Callow F. R. S. formerty of Mill Hill, Landon, beloved
husband of Nancy, dear father of
John and Mo. Moth loved father in
law of Susan and Jamie. Cremation
in the late of Man. Enquire to
Corbon Remeay. Tel: 0624813314.

CASSON on April 13th 1993, peacehused dearly loved husband of Peggy
dearest and devoted father of John
frameral service at Little Missenden
Parish Church, Buckdobamshire, on
21st April at 1.45pm. Indiowed Parish
cremation, family flowers
only. Donettens to The Sritish Heart
Foundation. 102 Geologier Place.

CHAPPLE — On April 13th, 3 weeks.

rumantom. 102 Gloucester Place.
London Wi.

CHAPPLE - On April 13th, 3 weeks
before his Syrd birtingay. John
Edward Chupple of Epsem, and formerly of Sution and Crouche End.
Dearly level by daughter Joan
Gedling, Raymond and John, Cremation, Raymond and John, Cremting wetherstay, 20th April, No
flowers please, Donations in his
memory to Ophthamic Unit, Suffon
Hospital, Surrey.

CURILE.—On April 14th 16072. riospial, Surrey.

CURLE, On April 14th, 1983, al

"Oversiey", 24 Ebiom. Rend.

Leatherhead, poacorday, in her 94th
year, Margaret Ormston, sometime
of Marleyburn, Metrosa, Private
funeral, No Bowers.

year, Margaret Ormiston, sometime of Harlesburn, Melroae, Private Inneral. No flowers.

EVANS, - On Wednesday April 13.

1983 in Chesterion Hospital, Seltina Georgiana of the Old Manor. Fulbourn, greatly lowed wife of Dean Selriol Evans, Funeral at 38 Vigor's Church. Pulbourn, Cambridge. The Church. Pulbourn, Cambridge, on the Saden Lilber Private Chapel, Mill Lane, Cambridge, and Cambridge. For Tescue. Believe Private Chapel, Mill Lane, Cambridge, For Tescue. Believe Dearchilly. Cicely, widow of Manthew, lowed mother, ramedmother and great grandmother. Funeral service at St George's Catholic Church. Boreham Road. Warminster on Wednesday. 20 April at 12.50 pm. Cut flowers only. Enquirus to F Curtis and Son, Funeral Directors. Telephone.

Warminster 212033.

Warminster 212033.

GOVER - on April 13th, peacefully at St Richards Hospital. Critinester. Freerick Lewis Archidate Gover of West Susses, Much loved husband of Minnie & father of Padin Chemister. Critinester. West Hampiell Ed. Critichester. St Jon. Tuesday 19th April. At his request, permourting or sorrow. Femily Inovers only. Donattons if wished to Boy Scouts Association. Enquiries to damphter Joan - Hayling Island 107/016.

GRADWELL-WALKER - on April GRIPWELL-WALKER - on April
of al Woodoales Farm.
Rickmensworth. Averil Frances
Mary, and Si. Funeral service at
Breekspear Crematorium. Russip.
Wednesday. April 20th at 12.15am.
Flowers to James Peddie Ltd.
Rickmansworth 772015.
HARRIS on 13th April suddenly, at
Southborough House. Chetmaford.
Harold Augustus Henry GRan)

Harold Augustus Henry (Burn) R.C.S. Barrister at Law and 81. husband of the late Elicen Harris, father of Psula and Angela. Funeral at the Church of the humacutate Conception. London Read. Cheimsford on Thursday 21st April at 10.30m. rollowed by cremation. Please no flowers but donations if desired to National Trust Cheimoford Centre, c/o bit tucking and Sons. 195. London Read. Christiatord. Control Nose, Chelmistore.

HOLLAND-MARTIN. - On 12th April, peacefully al Overbury. Cyril George, aged 80, beinved husband of Fath, A service to his memory will be held at \$5 Faith's Church. Overbury at 2.30 pm. On Thursday 21st April. No Howers picase.

HUMPHREYS. - On 15th April 1983. peacefully at horse. Travers Christmas Humphreys. QC, lawyer, writer and buddinst. Loved and devoted husband of the laik Albert Opucia, Ceranzilon private. Mamortal service to be announced.

service to be announced Cresby On IOVELL, MARIAN Service along these processing of the service o

L7.ES.

PAYNE-GALLWEY - April 15.
Dir othy, aged 97 years, daugnite of Sir Raiph and Lany Franktand Payne-Callwey and loved aunt of Priestia Creighton-Baltour. Funeral service on Wagnesday, April 20, 4.56
p.m. al Calchester Chemical Ave., Calchester, Sussex. AYE., LEMENEST, SURREL.

PEARCE - on 13th April, peacefully at home at Ottershaw, Surrey. Herbert Vivian dearly loved mashand of Harriel and father of Sheema in his 90th year. Funeral at Wolting Crematorium on Wadnesday. 20th April at 4.30pm. Enquries to Ottershaw 2286.

A SOOM. Enquiries to Ottershaw

A SOOM. Enquiries to Ottershaw

PTTHICK - On 15 April at Wellington
Hopkins after a very short illness.
The Vineyard, Richmond. Dearly
beloved husband of Beryl and Lather
of Katharine and Paul. Scrike at
Richmond Parish Church on Friday.
22 April at 12.00 nots, followed by
private cremation. Lauth, investigation
Concer Research Find or Almino.

PRATT on 13th April 1983. Describer
beloved wife of the late Charies Prait
and loving inoline. grandmother and
isser. Cremation. Bracknell on
Wednesday 20th April at 12 noon.
Flowers may be sent to Datid
Crector may be sent to Datid
Crector may be sent to Datid
Crector may be sent to Totto.

ROBINSON - suddenly on the 13th
April. Thomas Mastin O'Coobr
Robinson, of Clayton. Hassacies.
Sussex. Sped 75 years, husband of
Barbara and fairer of Jill. Yvonne.
Diana. Ange and Patricia. Requient
Mass on Thursday 21st April at 18
Edward's RC Church, Losge Labo
Bowers, ethis by St Vincest de Paul
Society, c. o 125 Cuckled Road
Hursbropoint. Sussex, R. I.P.

SHAPIRO - On April 15th, peacefully
at the Middlesey Haspalla, 39ed 71.

SHAPIRO - On April 15th, peacefully
at the Middlesey Haspalla, 39ed 71.

Hurstnierpoint, Stessor, R LP.
SHAPIRO - On April 13th, peacefully
at the Middlesex Hospital, aged 71.
Jacob Samuel Shapiro, Dipl. Ing.,
CEng., F.LM.E., F.R. & S., son of
the late Orig and Fetwel Shapiro, and
prother of Esther Levy Funeral look
blace yeaterday. Dungtions to Camper
Relief.

Relief.

STDASOUTH. - On April 12th, at American Abbry. Gladys Mary. Downsper Viscountion Sidmouth, april 97 years, Who loves and was to set by 9 children. 36 or and children and years of the state of saurous, April 23rd, 2f 11 aff.

TANNER on April 12th at borne. Cecile
Mary, widow of line late Evelyn
Llegel Tanner of Clare, Englerfeld
Gren. Betaved mother of Javre.
Cremation at Wohing on April 20th
at 11, 30. No flower's please gonations
to R.A.F. Bonevolent Fund. 67
Portland Place, London. Portland Place, London.
TRMPLETON - on 11th April 1983 and 68 years. Haydin Templeton B S.C., C.Eng., F.R.A.c. s. resto) of 3. The Felly Cerne Abbas, Corwel, Dear husband of Emma Vera. Cremations private but if desired small donations may be sont to the Cork to the Parish Council, Back Lone. Cerne Abbas, Dorset for tree planting.

MEMORIAL SERVICES HOMELLS, Dr. Herburt. There will be a Megnarial Service for the lart Dr. Horbert Howells, Hodorary Fellow, in the Chapel of St John's College. Cambridge, of 12 noon on Saturday 7th May.

IN MEMORIAM (WAR) STAMP. — In loving memory of our dear lather, mother, and heather, losses (Charles, First Baron Stamp of Shortlands, Give Jerse, his wife, and wiferd Carlyte. Their sides! soo, stilled by enemy action. April 16, 1941.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PERSONAL COLUMNS

IMPERIAL CANCER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RESEARCH FUND World Leaders in Concer Research Herping cancer patients at our hospital unds today the Imperial Cancer Rosearch Fund is seeking a cure for Cancer in our laboratories.

with one of the lowest Charity expense-to-income Talion we will use your money wisely. Imperial Cancer Research Fund. Room 16077. PO Best 125. Lincoln's law Fields, London WCZA

SINGLE PEOPLE without excurp-brances, income group, interested in retirement to the cape. South Africa. Tet: 0423) 867760 after 5.30. Tei: (0423) 867760 aster 8.50.

MR WILLIAM ALLEN RUSSEL was principal of the Deccan Cobese. Poons in 1860 and Educational magnetic. Southern Division. Division Division of the Deccan Cobese Poons in 1860 and Educational magnetic. Southern Division and Deccan Comparation of the Deccan Division of the Deccan Comparation of the Deccan Ry you have a comparation of the Compara

miliary riginia.

STERMHAUSZ GYULA violinist 18921943 & Tibor operatic tenor cabge
name Szentminalyi) 1894-1944.
Biographer seeks information, Please
reply Box No. 0831H The Times. THE Barmitrvah is amounced of Jonathan David, son of Dr Geothrey and Mrs Geraldine Dymond said will take place today at St Johns Wood Synagogue, Grove End Rd. NWS.

HOLIDAYS AND VILLAS

APRIL/MAY SUPER SAVERS | wk 2wks

PILGRIM AIR ITALIAN FLIGHT SPECIALISTS PRICES FROM: MILAN BOLOGNA PISA VENICE ROME NAPLES PALERMO

Prices do not include supplement airport taxes or (uel surcharges. PILGRIM AIR LTD 44 Goodge Street, WIP 1FH Tel: 01-637 6333 ATOL

ALGARVE – Lovely villa for 8, with pool and excellent maid: avail most dates from Healthrow: owned by well known author: this is deticiting stroperty; only avail due to lake decision for the lith year. Coulongagenth Palmer May a strong the strong strong strong and the strong strong and the strong strong strong and the strong stro

MINSERRE - Rights. Prices from Matogo £102. Aucante £103. NGC £120. All destinations available Taxes/surcharge included. Baxhor Travel 01403 3123/02774 56111 ABTA, ATOL 947. ASTA, ATOL 947.

BRUSSELS POSTER. For a free copy of this attractive poster, logether with our brochure on individual inclusive bolistays to that beautiful city, write or prione Time Off. 22 Chester Close. London. SW1. 01-235 8070. LONGOL SWIL OF 225 8070.

ARIS, AMSTERDAM, BRUSSELS,
BRUGES, BOULOGNE, DIEPPE,
ROUEN, BOULOGNE, DIEPPE,
LUXEMBOUNG, Inclusive bolidays,
Time Off Lid. 2 Chester Cise,
London SWILX 78Q 01-235 8070. London SW1X 7BQ 01-235 8070.
THE REAL SPAIN. South of Grenada.
Mountains. sea and private pool.
Seeps 6-8. Free May 28 to June
11th. June 25th. July 23rd.
September 5rd. Tel: 01-727 4829.
FL8HTS TO NICE at a nice price
From E79 return. Spain. Portugal.
Grecc. Canaries also available.
Phono for brochure. Sunet Rights.
01-351 3166. ATOL 332. NEAR DARTMOUTH, Devon. Lunur-ious architect converted stone barris in delighthis rural setting: tastefully equipped for 6. Special Spring terms. East Allington 377.

caupoet to 0. Special sorting to the caupoet to 0. Special sorting to the cares from £597 rm to Rio. Sao Paulo. Montes ideo. Santiago. Buenos Aires. Strantond Lid. 01-730 8866.Air Agents.

LOW COST FLIGHTS. Holidays to Greece. Cyprus. Mortecto. Mauritius. Caribbean. Brochure now available Cosch to Alberts £39. Alexos fours 01-267 2092 ABTA.

ARCHAEOLOGY IN ISRAEL. Volunter dogers seeded for that different holiday next summer. Send sae to Protect 57, 36 Gt. Rusself St. WCL.

MAY HOLDAY SPECIALS. Zanke MAY HOLIDAY SPECIALS. Zante E149 pw. Athens. Poros. Spense E169 pw. Fits only E89 inclusive Mander Holidays., 01-631 4677. ATOL 1626. ATOL 1626.
BLIGBBA. Redocorrided modern Bals.
Notary Gal. 70 Fleur de Lira Rd.
Brithkara.
COGNAC REGION, Private pool. 49
12. 5 bedram & 2 bestryms. Avail
Sept. 0327142166 Au Solell.
LATIN AMERICA. low cost flights
holiday lourneys. J.L. 10 Barley
Mow Passage. WA. 01-747 3108.
NORMANDY. Old (armhouse, bestritully modernised, sip 5. From 275
pw. 010-53-43-047888.

LUXURY ISLAND HOPPING Willous doubt the most enjoyable way to see Greece is aboard our new 42th, lustry motor yeart based in Rhodes. With a materium of 4 guests and 2 crew you will be tree to visit the most beautiful, unclusted and stylic beaches and stands in the Aegean. You won't need to lift a targer or spend a drachma – all meals with wine are Induded, plus the use of a wer bild, water sites. slo-boat and salboard. Accommodation is either the lift. the use of a wer bild, water sites, sk-boat and salboard.

Accommodation is either the alt chale statement with shower and w.c. or forward teen cabin with similar locations. Available disals from 1320, person/week, May 25th — Jun 15th, 22nd, Jul 13th, 27th, Sept 14th, 28th, Oct 5th to Nov 2nd, Individuals, couples or groups of 4 max. are welcome. All prices are fixed with no surphires.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VENEZOLANOS Consulado abrió Inscripción Electoral hasta el Cèdula de Identidad. No tener inscripcion previa.

Unsurpassed flight selection to Italian de tions from Cit, the specialists, in cooperation with Alitalia. Inexpensive Prices guaranteed. Airport taxes included. Get the Citalia "Italy for a song brochure from your Agent, phone 01-686 5533 (Reservations). Personal callers welcome at 50/51 Conduit Street.
London W1R 9FB
ATOL 2858CD 2928 ATOL 2858CD 2928

EGYPTIAN COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION IN THE UK (under establishment)

Membership is open to all resident Egyptians in the UK who are cordially invited to join.

PO BOX 4EG London W1A 4EG

Tel: 01-323 2856

HOLIDAYS AND VILLAS

LOW COST FLIGHTS LOW COST FLIGHTS
AUSTRALIA, NAIROBI, JBURG,
HARAPP, LIEAKA, DAR, W.
AFRICA, CARO, AIDOSE, REMAPAK, SEY, MAYO, DE AST, FAR
EAST, MAYO, CANADA,
SOUTH AMERICA, U.S.A.
AFRO-ASSAN TRAVEL LTD.,
Suite 233, The Lines Hall,
162/168 Repent 9.
London W1
Oo1-457 8285.
Late bookings welcome,
AMEX/USA/Dimets accopied.

OLYMPIC BUS

VILLA NR. ALBUFEIRA yet in delightful rural setting. Steps 4/5. Small private complet. swimming pool. lennis court. Ilem beach, maid service. Available 23rd June to mid July also easily May and Sept. Tet: 0742 890557.

Most other destinations Diroughout the world AIRLINK 9 Wilton Road, Landon SWIV ILL L. Bentley ATOL 1188 01-650 2609

STERLING TRAVEL GATA) 3 Trebeck Street, WI 01-499 8317 ALSTRALIA - NEW ZEAL AND CANADA - USA - S ANGEICA MID EAST - RIPA ARACECA MID EAST - RIPA ARACECA NOTICE - NAIROBE - SALISBY FIGHT - NAIROBE - SALISBY BY STORE - K LUMPUR EASTER AVAILABILITY TO SUBJECTORYDNEY TRY US FOR ALL TYPES AND CLASSES OF FARES

HOLIDAYS AND VILLAS

AUSTRALASIA AND

WORLD WIDE

With 12 years' experience we are the market loaders in low cost

ights. ondos-Sydney £335 q/w £531

TRAILFINDERS
46 Earls Ct. Rd. W8 6EJ.
European Rights: 01-937 5400.
Long hauf flights: 01-937 9631.
Government flustend/bonded.

TRIMFARE

CITY FLIGHTS

01-828 4847

ABTA

ABTA

ATOL 1458

rn. Ann-Auckland £399 o/w £691 return.
London-Delhi £231 o/w £368 ro-turn.
Around the world from £699.

SKI SKI SKI SKI SKI SNOW COULDN'T BE BETTER! NOR COULD OUR PRICES! Ping for our super brochure featuring every type of accommo-dation in 13 top resorts. (01) 581 4861 DO THE THING PROPERLY SKI BLADON LINES

309 Bromplen Road. Lendon SWS 20Y ABTA

UP, UP AND AWAY

Retiable flights and lowest brices to: JO'EURG, NAIROSI, DAR SEYCHELLES, LUSAKA, CARRO BANGKOK, SUNCAPORE, LAKON BANGKOK, SUNCAPORE, LAKON BANGKOK, DAR LAKON BANGKOK, BANGKOK

FLY FLAMINGO TRAVEL 76 Shaffesbury Ave. W.1. 01, 439 7751/2 Ozen Saturdays. CORFIOT IN CORFU SUPERB SELF-CATERING HOLIDAYS SELF-CATERING HOLDAYS
Selected, sectuded and comfortable
vitias in unusual and beautiful
locations all near lovely beachies
made service and downward very
reasonable prices and still some
ligh season availability.

CORFIOT HOLIDAYS ABTA ATOL 1427 AITO IBIZA~CALAVADELLA Private House. Lovely views. 5 min. beach. Water ekiting, wind-suring, tennis courts and super-market within withing distance. Sips. 6-8. 2 beath-ms. Maid service. Avail. July/Aug. 01-485 4855 atter 6-30 p.m.

COSTCUTTERS ON FLIGHTS/HOLS To Europe, USA and all destinations. Diplomat Travel. 01-730 2201, TIX 831 3672. ABTA IATA ATOL 1365.

MARBELLA, Suporb villa, 3 bods, 2 halts, own delightful gdss, swimming pool, Avail July, Aug and Sept. Tet: Carlerton (0993) 841543. GREECE, Paxos island, private villa, sips 2/4, superbiy situated in own sesside ofive grove. Avail July 11th-25th. Tel: Lymington (0590) 23178.

EUROPEAN FLIGHTS, School or char-AUSSIE, FAR EAST, JO'BURG. Oulclair, \$43 3906/0061.

LOWEST AIR FARRS. Buckingham Travel. ABTA. 01-836 8622. PRETTY PARGA - Holidays in Greec's most picturesque village: choose from exceptionelly attractive villa remists for 276 persons a Villa remists for 276 persons a Villa Party with full heart, in minute of the Holes Bacoll (new and comby) or Alkyon (cheap & chearlal but clean). Doy lights on Wednesdays to nearby Prevaza (1', hours). From £199 for how weeks. Phone Small World on 01-836 7839 ABTA ATOL 488.
WALKING, ADVENTURE and cycing O'1-336 7836 ABTA ATOL 488.

WALRING, ADVENTURE and cycling holidays in the world's wild placed—Ballopla, thursz. Neoni, Elhopia, thursz. Neoni, Elhopia areas you can visit with us in 1983. Brochure and delaited dessers from: Exodus Expeditions (ST). 100 Wandsworth Hein St. London SW18 4LE. Tel: 01-8710 0151 724 hrst.

VILLAS IN SARDINIA - 1 week villa holiday in Bats Sardinia, Porto Proches with choice of mening purpose in the control of the con

ATOL 488.
SARING RARGAINS, Last few bosts on these 1s day Greek island fiolilla sakhos holidays, hoorporating celebrated Greek Easter Departures. 25/4.26/4.1/5.4/5 from £169 p.p. island Salima Lid 07016 66331 (24 hrs) ATOL 987. hrsi ATOL 987.

CMEAP FLIGHTS WORLDWIDE to Australia. N.Z.. Far East. South Airlos. South Amorica. Europe. Middle East and menty more destinations. New Frontier Travel, 234 Earls Court Rd. SW6. 372 7757.

45 Oxtord St.. WI 01-437 6117.

LIXURY APARTMENT
MARBELLA
3 dbie beds, 2 baths, tux idichen 50' ;
12' terraze, ali amenates, Avali
between 24 April - 28 May, 18 June bstween 24 April - 28 May. 18 Jun 13 Aug. Tel: Upper Warlinghern 2317



Please write or phone:

5 weeks holiday in Greek Stands from £11. 1. ISTANBUL £25 0/W VUGOSLAVIA £25 0/W VUGOSLAVIA £35 0/W TALY £20 0/W SWITZERLAND £25 0/W BELGILM £15 0/W Tet: 01-837 9141/2/3

PLAYA D'ARO COSTA BRAVA Flats by sec. Our 16th Year. 67

SAVE CEPT's with Hartland Enlarstress to Bangkak, Hong KongEurope, Natrobi. Jo'hung, M. Esst.
Colombo. Aus/NZ. 01-636
3541/1460. Air A9Is.
SIMPLY CRETE, beautiful private
villas/studios: some with 6/pools.
sandy beaches from £169pp. 2 wis.
Tet 01-994 2484.
GRETEE with This. GREECE, with Trisens. Corfu. Affiers. Crete. Rhodes and all islands. Per-sonal attention, value for money. Ring Boland 01-283 8162 ASTA. Ring Roland O1-285 8162 ABT A-SWISS Summer farm lobs. Also grape picking in Frankr and Switzerland. Send large SAE to VWI. 9 Park End St. Oxford. GREECE, Southern Pelopotonese, anar Momentwasia. VIII. by sel. sleeps 10, 50-5140 p.w. Femon. Exhermon Hall, Scarborough, 072 588 516. BRITSSM YACHT. S. TURKEY, slupper, sid-bender, windsurfer, cock, 2 wis inc fil. £385 pp. Tel. (0446) 43334.

438.34.
LOW FARES workwide. USA, S.
America, Mid and Far Eact, S. Africa.
Trayvale, 48 Margaret Street, W1.
01-580.2928 (Vise accepted).
DORDOGRE/LOT. Restored barra correlocation river valley. Size 4/6.
Available May-Ada Tel. Odd 485 462.

VALEXANDER offers special lights spain. Greece, Europe, all summer. Unbestable prices - Telephone Odd 462 4626 ABTA ATOL 278.

CAP FERRANT. Cottage for 4 in levely water from 1. Cottage for 4 in levely at 1. Cottage for 4 in levely MAY 4, to Algarve, some superb private villas with pools avail at 20% discount. – Palmer & Parker, 01-493 5725 5725
DORDOGNE: Simple stone college on beautiful hillside nr Sautat. Approx. SO pw. Rios 0.3-58 3157.
ALGARVE: Converted farminouse, sibs 5, private pool, maid, close all amenities. Tol. 01-774 0722. MR. MARBELLA. Select private apl., of look pool, sps., sp4, from £120 pw. 7d. 01-546 8067, TUECANY FARMHOUSE. Available May to Jubr and Sept. Sideps 6, £120 pw. Tel. 01-223 2724 seafront flat 99e, 50 yds. sands, Now & summer Striction (0278) 36285. TUNISIA. Sunny days, lively nights: Call the specialists: Tunisian Travel Burgan, 01-573 4411. EMPORITO TRAVEL Contact. the experts. All destinations quoted. Sonatr. Tel: 01-935-3648. BURGURIDY furnished house, sleeps 8, some 1983 dates available from \$70 pw. Woodbridge 6639. LOT: Beautiful (armhouse o'looks lovely valley. Sips 6/8. Not bet 23/7 and 20/8. Fr £70 pw. 01-727 9744.

PROVENCE Hae, sips 6. Pool, May, June, Sept. Fr. £100. 01-876 8467. SWISS, German III. specialists. City by City 01-579 7888. ATOL 882B.

FOR SALE FRIEST Quality went carpets, At trade prices and under, also available 100's extra. Large room able remnants, under half normal price. Chancery Carpets 01-405 0465. Carnets OI 405 0465.
ALL STOCK TO CLEAR by end of June - reasonable offers accested. Rena Fura. 18 hanover St. W1. 01. 629 9563.
OLD YORK FLAGSTONES, crazy partng, cobble setts, ect. Nationwide defliveries. H. & H. Tel. Lecock (024 973) 482. With.
WORDCAN CARPET - Hand made, blue /while off din x 5th. Bought in Fes. 2476 one. Tel Couliey 4011.

WANTED

A. H. BALDWIN AND SONS LTD.
Established 1872. Numismatists. specimens bought for cash. - Adelphi Terrace, London, WC2N 68J. 01-930 6879. GB19. IRIDGE TV "Crand Slam." addict bega loan of kast episode (Sat 9th) on VHS; will exchange, loan any cartier ones, Tel: 01-969 0961. WIMBLEDON Tickets required centre and number 1 courts. 01-263 9867 office hours (Optice Ltd.). usince nours (Updae Lid.).

F10 per E1 mail for pre 1947 officerons 261 sold for sovereigns. Tel. M.
Ellis Wornaley 2894.

ASCOT BOX WARFED, to buy long lease of rent. for Ascot week.
Haveley 411 BLEDON Meters required, 01-928

HOUSE CONTENTS, antiques, large hookcases, etc. Fenkons 01-637 7870. SERVICES

THE MANOR HOUSE. Homely (twelve bed) residence in prime suburban location for iderly, retired professional people. Delighthu surroundings at reasonable rates, Tat. 01-560 1562 54 Woodcole Tat. 01-560 1562 54 Woodcole Valley Road, Purley, Surrey, 938 1011.

WHEN IN LONDON rent a T.V. or vices in LONDON rent a T.V. or vices in the transport of the transp CLASSES in Japanese Painting on silk in designers studio. Tel: 01-741 8418.

Chestertons Tine Luttished Property hrguelt)tu Central Doné a 1988e thesefoluems 's

Alondar Friday FOR SALE BUT DESCT SAME EEEE

WHOLESALE PRICES
SALE CYCLES WAREHOUSE
435 BARLOW MOOR ROAD
CHCALTON, MANCHESTER 21 Tel: 061-860 8226 PRE COLUMN CATALOGUE PLEASE SEMBS A E BERBER EVENT

30% wool Berbers. Heavy domestic quality hersian or fearmback. 6 shades, 4 metres wide. 43 95 yer say 44 VAT Alsa the largest selection of Berber syles in London, Over 25,000 say 46 is stock. 43 in finting service. For your neurest showmon, please planne 736 7551 DESCISTY 64 A DESCISSO RESISTA CARPETS Lundon's largest undepended supplier of plans carpeting

SPORT AND RECREATION TROUT, sea-trout, swimon by fishing courses. Devon. Tackic losined. Chillegon 281.

COLLECTOR interested in purchasing works by the East Anglan matured history artist - Frank Southeast (1872-1916) Sex No. 2779 O The Times.

RICHMOND 2nd person M/F to share large C/H Dat. £100pcm excl. 2 only sharing, 01-940 1180.

NWS. 4th prof person 30s to share the strany flat, with gdn. Own room. £166 p.c.m. inct. 435 6429.

SLOANE SQ. girl 25 + own room, non smoker, £33 pw excl. Tel: 584 4509

HEAVEN in Hampslead. Flat suit 3-4, £95 p.w. 435 6802 (after 6 p.m.).

FLATMATES, 313 Brompton Rd. scientive sharing, 569 5491.

ANTIQUES AND COLLECTABLES

ON THE COSTA DEL SOL QUALITY VILLA HOLIDAYS PLIERTO

CABOPINO . MARBELLA . BANUS . ALOHA

HOLIDAYS AND VILLAS .

Our Villas and Apartments are in the finest locations. All are First Cleas Standard - we accept nothing less.
Check our prices with operators using the same locations - you will find we give you EXCELLENT value for money.
Summer Availability "With or Without flight "Stay as long as you Phone or write for a copy of our brochure VILLA TIME Ltd. 10 Lower Belgrave St. London SW7.
Tel. No. 01-730 6181 Telex No. 918837
ACCESS BARCLAYCARD

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS

SENIOR SOLICITOR MIDDLETONS, OSWALD BURT & Co.

Solicitors of Melbourne (Australia) um the services of a senior Solicisor superienced in Common Lass, simply and Shipping Law. Applicants should be in the range of 28-35 years and have at least fine years' experience since admission. A salary and benefits package communicate with experience and shipsy Applications in writing, with full details of background and experies should be addressed to:

Mr Trevor Simmons, 20th Floor, 140 William Street, Melbourne, 3000, Australia

MEDIA APPOINTMENTS

EDITORIAL RESEARCHER

Reader's Digest megazine re-quire a Researcher for their London bureau. The successful

London bureau. The successful applicant will be a university graduate, mul-twenties, with a least two years' journalistic experience as publishing or broadcasting. This post a no soft option, for the work is difficult and demanding, and the generous salary will be well samed. Handwritten applications with typed C.V., please, 10:

PATRICIA MYFOR

Research Editor Reader's Digest 25 Berkeley Square London, W1X 6AB

MOTOR CARS

MERCEDES

SLACK MERCEDES 35061. httmach. Labe, sports wheels, stores, bigmolands radio, cassette, Low mileage for year. Personalised plate, spotter sit, hand d-soft top. Ring between 10 Em. to 6 pm 01 408 1371. MERCEDES. New 500 SL. Thista-green. ABS. UK supplied, humediple delivery. 0642 56550.

COLLECTORS CARS

JAGUAR MK VI, 1949-80, in very good condition, the perfect car for the Jaguar endustati. Offers the Coventry 610230 day. Coventry 85111 eves.

SECRETARIES FOR ARCHITECTS
and Designers. Permanent/lumnerary positions. APRA Speciation
Agency 01-734 0832.
EXPERIENCED AUDIO/SEC for
brient person. c. \$5000. Mr Start
49; 4101

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

LEARN THE PIAMO at home. Audio Classette courses, all orades and legin-pers. Una Warnes. Ninghey. Cross Rt. Hawley, Deritorid, Kent. G322 25566
PIAMOS: H. LANE 5 SONS. New and reconstitioned. Quality at reasonable prices. 326 Brighton Rts. S. Croydon. Ol 458 3513.

BROADWOOD Grand Plane No. 1887. J. 1300 o.n.o. Day 0734 085715. Pves 8 w.end 01,940 35985
VAMAMA Sr orand plane G1.

S5985

YAMAHA Sit grass plane Gl.
Purchased new 1975. Well
reachined Excellent lone. 53,000
o.u.o. Tot Hodderdon 462 663.
THE PLANO WAREHOUSE, 100 2ndhand upright & grands, 5226 528,000
Resignation Bushow, Fathering, 23
Castletaven Rushow, 51267 7674.

DOMESTIC AND CATERING STUATIONS

NAMNY. Fully experienced, minimum 2 year contract. Livelin, overseas tracel on school holidays. To take full charge of 1, 5 & 6 year old children.

Charge of School Robins, 7 Charles of Charge of L. Cod & year old children. Tel: 01-34 LOSS. The Charles of the

DOMESTIC AND CATERING

SITUATIONS REQUIRED

HOLISEKEEPER AVAILABLE ady, widowed (45) seeks work and home Oxfordshire desirable or troad.

please, to:

RENTALS

CENTRAL LORDON, Anodern find. Kensington, S.W.S. ground finor new fully furnished and decorated on 2', serve, private communing garden. 5' bedrooms, 2 bells, large living room, during room, lidicken new aspliances. 2410 p.w. Cell 01-373 5254.

SUPERIOR FLATS AND HOUSES evaluable and required for diplomata, executives, Long or stort less in all areas. – Lightend of Call Abertuarie Street, London, W.1. 01-499 5334

MEWS HOUSE, W. 1, Suporb. 2 bed : 1
with dressing rm). Dahnoom, shower
rm. well equipped bilchen/hreakisst
rm. lourge, diner. C.H. date gizzing.
Avail now, min 6 months, E276 pw.
Tet 936 OSB1 too egents please).

KENSINGTON W14. All new P.'B maistonatie. -2 dble bedrins, patie, garage. Lux furnishinss. 5680 pcm incl. HW & CH. Cobham 2362. BAYSWATER, W.2 — Altractively furn. 1 bed flat. kil. bath. rocept. half. Purier, Entry Poore. lift. Min. 6 mits. LSO p.w. 328 5696.

NERSINGTON - Attractive Sal. 1/2 beds. 1/2 reception rooms. K & B. C.H. Long Let. £125pw. Tel: 01-995 7352 MAYFARE 2 MODERN FLATS, carrier of 3 bets, 2 beins, breakfast/dining room, Large drawins/dining room, Large drawins/dining room, Large drawins/dining room, but to the standard of the standar

Tel, 01-002 4950.

**ELERANT & charming owners own flat WB. Beguilful contiste. Interd with genuine antique avail 3 months only. I date bed. Tecep. K & S. £175 per week, Aylesfords 361 2363 NWS. - Lucury 3-bed. bosse, centrally heated. lends cours and playing fields to the rear. Cdn., etc. £120 pw. 206 0838 (day): 204 2579 (after 6). tafter 6).

RUCK 5. RUCK 581 1741. Quality furnished & unfurnished proporties in prime central areas urgenity required and available £150 £850pw. prine central areas irresulty required and available 2150-2550pw.

HART RESIDENTIAL LETTINGS. We have furnished lais and houses in N/NW London. 250-2500 pw. 01-482 2222.

EATTERSEA PARK - Architects' own our bed filel. 5/c. c/h. Fully furnished. Habbart style. Company let. 275 pw. 01-435 4636/3407107.

SW17 - Lux house. 4 beds. 2 lor recepts by fit kil. Sh facing parden. Sulf Co or Diplomar pref. 2140 pw. Tel 672 1781.

CHARMETING, CHELSEA. New 1 dbbed. stilling room, filel. 11. 2106 pw. Up to 1 yr. Tel. 352 9710. 9710.

AMERICAN Executive seeks luxury flat or house up to £350 p.w. Usual sets remired - Phillips Kuy & Lewis 859 2245.

HAMPSTEAD Newly decorated flat large lounge, bedroom, liftchendings, bath near Heath and Finchiay Read, £75 p.w. Tel. 01-794 6230.

Road, 1.75 p.w. Tel. 01-794 6230.
LOVELY S. C. flat in Lecturer's house ar Highgaie tube, well equipped, 2 rats, & t. D.C. Estricas, shone. Suit couple 670 p.w. 01-883 6258.
W1 — NEW CAVENDISH STREET.
Sin flr. lux balcony flat, in new block. 2 dise beatras, c.h., c.h.w. £195pw. 834 6788. W8. - Large recep, bed, k and b, ch, tv. garden: £90 pw. - 0722 72639. garden: £90 pw. ~ 0722 73939. HAMPSTEAD. 1 bed modern flat. £60 p.w.; co jet. ~ Tel (0276) 31845.

1 YR OLD Pekingese dog. affectionate pet. Genuine roason sale. 0491 651 520, after 6 pm.

SITUATIONS WANTED EXPERIENCED Cambridge maic graduate good 46, requires tuil-time embeyment, interests tile especially in books, publishing and community work. For first effect, the his prepared to work anywhere in the south of England.

CHEAP, CAPABLE COOK, requires short term work for summer and autumn events. 01-228 1309. after 6.30. SHORT LETS

THE ADVERTISER. 52 PARK RD, BANBURY. 0X0N, 0X16 CDN. Tel. Lise Castle 0295 61524 GLOUCESTER PLACE NW1 Attractive besement. 2 date bed. Itving, k & b. C.H., T.V £100pw. 723 0976 or 0634 76079. POSITION SOUGHT in rural mathematic indicated by experienced educated name / housekeeper / substitute (45), non-driver, 70 Pinnst Road, London, N4. INSTART FLATS, Chelses, Luxury serviced, Mr Page 373-3433. FLAT SHARING

FULHAM. Lee oble room in attrac shrd has. Suit 2 girls. 10 mins Parsons Green tube. Tal. 946 2638 or 0734 62050. EDUCATIONAL **GERMAN LANGUAGE** 62050.

5E23. Prof person, non-emoker, own room, quiet family bouse, b/b and evening med Monday-Friday, occasional westernds, 699 3071. IN AUSTRIA CARONAL WESTINGS OF 3071.
EMPTREY, prof. type male, 30-40 yrs, own room, comfortable house, £140 p.c.m. incl. Charles Lindsell 01-660 8285 day.
TWICKERHAML F 25+ with salling interests, own room, garden and garage, £30 p.m. 891 2621 evenings and westend. University Summer Course All ages All grades
VIENNA SALZBURG July - August - September 3 and 4 wk courses, from £154 and weekend.

HW6 large double room in incrumy mixed flat. CH. £36 pw ezr.1. 488 4833 est 235 day or 624 1256 even/w.end.

BATTERSEA PARK - Summy house overlooking garden M.F (307a) £36 pw. Open fire + piane. (£) £28 9434.

OWAL, \$W9. Prof. F. to share flat with one other. Ower room. £108 p.c.m. extl. Tel. 735 9867 (after \$ p.m.).

HW2--, 2nd mnf. M.P share comfort. O and A Level Course stered with Austrians Mathinz 9 - 23 Aug £323 Holiday Exchanges
12-18 yrs min 2 wiss
£128 £148 over 14 yrs)
cas incl. AUSTRIAN AIRLINES liights NW2-, 2nd prof. M/F share comfortable flat own large room. £120 p.m. Tet. 480 5990. ANGLO-AUSTRIAN SOCIETY 46 Cusen Anne's Gats, London SW1H SAU, Tel. (01) 222 0368 ATOL 065 BATTERSEA. Fernale, own room in lux maleonette, non-smoker pref. £145 pcm inc. 223 9144 eves. £145 pcm inc. 223 9144 eves.
PUTMEY. Professional male. own
room. share complete house near
stations. £30 p. incl. 01.470 6791.
W.11. 2 large sunsy rooms plus
kitchen, share both, £56 per week.
Suit coupis. Tel: 01.221 5976.
CLAPHAM HOUSE. 2 gdris wanted to
share. £36 pcm incl (each). 673 0486
after 6 pm.
W14. Educated couple wanted for
large room share. K & b, ist Tube.
£55 pw. 603 8244.
RICHMOMD 2nd person M.5 to share.

WOLSEY HALL Successful tests study courses with qualified tests for CCE. Degree, ECC and cares exams. Free prospectus: 7th Carford OXC 6PR. Tel: 0865 54231 (24 Jun).

WATTON - Mid Norrosc Executive & hedroom destricted house, regniter of modernized vith superior inderruised vith superior inderruised vith superior index stops, so minutes North 179,500, Tu 09353 081355 ar de-

SAODERNISED FLINT COTTAGE 8
mins M40, in village of Lune End. Me
of character, large log first, 2 vic. 2
beds. ich. bolin vic. Carpella, SEL
garden, EDCOCO 1 1989 Wycomies
681449/Thomas 2518. SLACK SHE - 20 minutes from hydrogen Configuration of the parameter of the

2136G Theoremson from Sor 12136G Theoremson from Sor 1219 500, rursi sed superb position for him walking 15 mins M5/M50. London 2, hours small monterplaced characteristic LAND FOR SALE

AND FOR SALE (10,000 at 100) M Aburding /Algarve, Nr Profe B Rafael Contact Berlin 8927636 of Rome 6943826.

OORDOGNE/LOT. — Restored here-galleried hedroom, large nyme. Alichen, dining, 2 hasterostes, 286, hedroom, Celleri arrage, 122, 800. Viewing March 26th, April 2nd Phone 044 483 462.

Chexilial 50

Saturday Television and radio programmes **Edited by Peter Davalle**

Sunday

مكذا من رلاميل

6.25 Open University (until 8.55) 6.25 Potdam 3; The Deal; 6.50 Industrial Relations; 7.15 Social work in Schools; 7.40 Curriculum in Action: 8.05 Punjab to Britain: 2; 8.30 South Riding.

BBC 1

- 8.55 Lean Errol: Old Hollywood comedy; 9.15 Get Set: Macazine show for the youngsters. With The Belle Stars, Mike Harding and Video-vote; 11.10 Film: Devil Girl from Mars (1954"). Flying saucer lands by mistake in the Scottish highlands, With Patricia Lifan, Co-starring Hugh Dermott and Joseph Tometty, Director, David
- 12.30 Grandstand. The line-up.is: 12.35 Football Focus; 1.05 World Snooker (Embassy Professional Championships); and Badminton Horse Trials. And a preview of the London Marathon: 1.50 Newbury Racing: 2.10 Bedminton Horse Trials: 2.20 Newbury Racing: 2.40 Snooker (contd); 2.50 Newbury Racing; 3.10 Badminton Horse Trails: 3.20
- Newbury Flacing, 3.45 Half-3.55 Snookericontd) and Badminton Horse Trials (contd): 4.35 Final Score. 5.10 Mickey and Donald: Disney
- 5.35 News: with Jan Learning; 5.45 Sports round-up.
 5.50 The Dukes of Hazzard: Daisy enters the Miss Tri-Counties beauty pageant, With Catherine Bach.
- 6.40 Pop Quiz: The second bout in the new series features lan Gillan; Juntor and Mark Bedford, from Madness; Tim Rice; Tracey Uliman and Jo Callis (from Human League). 7.10 Date with Danger: City on . Fire. Drame about a city blaze that threatens a busy hospital, With Henry Fonda, Áva Gardner and Barry Newman, Director: Alvin Rakoff.
- 8.50 News: And sports round-up. 9.05 Dynasty: Fallon learns from Sammy Jo that Blake is not her real father. Blake and Krystie seem to be heading for a reconciliation. 3.55 Wogen: In this, the last of his Saturday might conversation
- shows for the present, Terry Wogan chats with Flowan Atkinson, the singer Johnny Mathis; and the actor Omar Sharrf. 1.40 Blood Money: Episode two of burch of terrorists who kidned
- a young lad, son of a United Nations diplomat. With Bernard Hepton, Michael Denison and Juliet Hammond-H:1 (r). .40 Film: The Secrets of Three Hungry Wives (1978); Made-for-television movie about a rusdered millionaire playboy. The subsequent Invest involves three women - eny
- one of whom could have had a reason to kill him. Starring James Franciscus, Jessica Weiter, Gretchen Corbett and Heather Macrae, Directed by Gordon Hessier. .15 Weather prospects.

- - ITV/LONDON 9.30 Sesame Street: with The Muppets; 10.30 The Saturd Show: varied entertainment for the vouncemers. 12.15 World of Sport. The line-up is: 12.20 Motor Cycling (round one of Yamaha Pro-Am Series); 12.35 Cycling (Paris-

Tv-am

6.00 Daybreak, followed at 7.00 by

Good Morning Britain presented by the Parkinsons.

itsms include news at 5.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00 and 8.30;

Entertainment guide at 7.15

Susannah York can be seen at

Bill Oddie at 7.45; Michael

Parkinson's interview with

8.07; Aerobics at 8.32; Data

magazine) at 8.40, with singer Robert Plamer and a special

item on toyes. Closedown at

Sport sy 6.30, 7.00;

Run (the youngsters'

- Roubatx race, and Reche-Walloon run); 12.45 Cup semifinal day preview; 1.15 News. 1.20 The ITV Stc from Thirsk, the
 1.30, 2.00 and 2.30, and from
 Ayr, the 1.45, 2.15 and 2.55
 (William Hill Scottish National
 Hadicap); 3.10 Motor Cycling
 (World of Sport Superbike
 Challenge from Deciption All Challenge, from Donington. All eyes on Barry Sheene); 3.45 Half-time scores; 4.00 Wrestling: three contests from Haslingden; 4.45 Results.
- 5.05 News from ITNL 5.15 Metal Mickey: Comedy starring the lovable robot and Irene Hendi (r). 5.45 The Fall Guy: Colt (Lee Majors) spoils the stake-out of
- 6.45 The Children's Royal Variety Performance: Family entertainment (staged in London last month) from a line-up that includes the Game for a Laugh team; Stu Frances Roger De Courcey and Nockie Bear, Russ Abbot's Madhouse team; puppers Pepe and Friends; and groups such as Modern Romance and Kajagoogoo, With Kids international, the Scouts and Cubs of the United Kingdom

and the Trumpeters of the

Junior Leaders Regiment. Performed in the presence of

- Princess Margaret at Her Majesty's Theatre. 8.45 T J Hooker: Police drama. The supermarket robbers who rebuild race cars. With William
- 9.45 Tales of the Unexpected: The Memory Man. Colin Blakely and Bernard Cribbins in a story about a memory training class and one of its
- 10.15 News. And sports round up. 10.30 The Big Match: Highlights of one of the day's FA Cup semifinal matches
- 11.30 London news headfines. Followed by: - A Fashion Extravaganza by Antony Price. Rock-style show presentation of the latest fashions designed by the man whose clients include Bryan Ferry, Paula Yates, Duran Duran and Elton John 12:30 Cines, Rrian Riccond raude something by Francis Bacon.

A Property or exchanges -: e⁻⁻74/# Frank Finlay and Susan Penhaligon in Bouquet of

7000

- Berbed Wire (Channel 4, 10.00pm)
- BBC 2 6.25 Open University. Ends at 3.10. 3.10 Film: The Divided Heart (1954") Drame, set in post-war Europe, about an adopted boy whose real mother arrives in Yugoslavia to claim him. With Cornell Borchers and Yvorme Mitchell Director: Charles Crichton.
- Bedminton Horse Trials: with Lucinda Green and Captain wark Philips competing. ... 5.30. The Sky at Night: Patrick Moore discusses the Quickest Pulser with Professor Grahar Smith, the Astronomer Royal
- 5.50 Grand Stam: Great Britain versus the US in a bridge tournament The British Sayer are defending a narrow lead. 6.15 States of Mind: In the latest of his conversations about psychology, Jonathan Miller talks to George Mandier, Professor of Psychology at the University of California; 7.05
- 7.20 World Snooker: The Embassy World Professional Championship. We see Alex Higgins in action at about 7.30. World Profession
- 8.05 Alfred Brandel Masterclass: The distinguished planist works on Beethoven's Sonata in D minor, Op 31 No 2, with ilead Mishory, an Israeli. 8.50 Roger Doesn't Live Here Any
- More: Comedy series with Jonathan Pryce as the divorced husband whose former wife (iDiane Fletcher) 9.20 World Snooker: We see Alex
- Higgins and John Spencer in action at The Crucible Theatre Sheffield, More at 11.45. 9.55 Film International: Three Brothers. Francesco Rost's award-winning film about a difficult family reunion in southern France after the death of the mother. Three sons look back over their early years and find little to bring
- them comfort as they face the future. What little optimism there is belongs to their aged father end his young granddaughter. With Philippe Noiret, Michele Placido and /ittorio Mezzogiorno. 11,40 News: with Jan Leeming. 11.45 World Snooker, Further coverage of the Embassy World Professional Championship. From The Crucible Theatre in Sheffield.

Ends at 12.50 approximately.

- - CHANNEL 4 2.15 Go Fishing with Jack Chariton: catching trout in the River Taw in Devon (r). 2.40 Film: Executive Suite (1954*) Star-studded drama about five executives battling for the company top job. With Frederic March, William
 - Holden, June Allyson, Barbare Stanwock Walter Pidgeon. Director: Robert Wise. Password: Celebrity guests are Martin Jarvis and Rosalind Ayres. The MC is Tom O'Connor.
 - 5.05 Brookside: Two repeated episodes (r). 6.80 Square Pegs: American-made college comedy saries with Sarah Jessica Parker and Amy Linier as the two new
 - 6.30 News, Followed by 7 Days, Moral and ethical issues behind the headlines. 7.00 A Week in Politics: Includes a report on the radical right's take-over attempt in the
 - Conservative Party. Sir ian Gilmour former minister of State at the Foreign office, is 7.45 Race, Rhetoric, Rastafari: A Rastawoman's view of
 - present-day Britain. With Makeda Les. 8.45 World of Animation includes the cartoon The Great Cognito.
 - 9.00 Makı A Woman Now. Brazilian-made drame serial with Regina Duarte as the 10.00 Bouquet of Barbed Wire: Rerun of all seven episodes of Andrea Newman's 1976 dram
 - series about the deeply troubled Manson family. With Frank Finlay and Susan Penhaligon. The latter, Finlay's daughter, returns pregnant from her honeymoon. (r). 11.00 The Late Citys James: First in a new series of chat shows that aim to raise the general level of conversation while still

keeping the fun going.

Different guests every week but the same presenter - Mr

James. Tonight's guest are Alan Coren, editor of Punch; Dr Miriam Stoppard; and Debbie Moore (of Pineapple Danca Studios). 11.50 Naked City: A Death of Princes. Re-run of the 1960s American-made crime series, spawned by the 1948 Jules Dassin movis.

9.10 London's Marathon: There are 18,000 runners this year and there is live coverage four times this morning. This is the first: 10.00 Knock Knock: A popular approach to religion; 10.15 This is the Day:

8.55 Pigeon Street (r).

Worshippers in their homes are linked by the TV sat; 19.45 London's Marathon. Asian Magazine: The Baisakhi festivities in London; 11.25 London's Marathon: yet 10.55 another progress report; 12.10 The Skill of Lip-Reading; for the hard of hearing (r); 12.35

BBC 1

6.25 Open University (until 8.55); Dickens and Popular Imagery;

6.50 Conceptual Models on

Stratigraphy; 7.15 Computer

Systems; 7.40 Counting Atom, 8.05 Cenetics, 8.30

Stereochemistry of Addition

- London's Marati 1.00 Farming: 1.25 Bilzzard's Wonderful Wooden Toys: The world in ministure. With Richard Blizzard; 1.50 News 1.55 Alles Smith and Jones Light-hearted western (r): 2.45 Euroyision Song Contest Previews: What's in store in
- funich on April 23. **Badminton Horse Trials: The** Cueen presents the Whithread Trophy to the winner, 4.15 Match of the Day: Highlights from yesterday's football
- Face the Music: Joseph Cooper's guests are Shirley Williams, Denis Healey, Toby Jessel and Nigel Kennedy;
- 5.50 News. Antiques Roadshow: From Dundse. The fancy dress party mask that is worth hundreds. 6.00
- With Arthur Negus and Hugh 6.40 Songs of Praise; from West Church, Ballymena, Northern
- Ireland. London's Marethon: Went the day well? We see the hlahliahts.
- Wogan on the Orient Express To Venice in style, and with many a chucke en route. Mastermind: Second semifinal. Questions on The Thirty Years War (1618-1648);
- Monty, The Flashman novels; and Scott's expeditions to the Antarctic. 9.25 News: with Jan Leeming. 9.40 That's Life: Esther Rantzen and Co have fun, and
- investigate consumers Grouses. Heart of the Matter. David el talks to church leaders about new initiatives of recanciltion with Argen First in the resumed series
- levoted to moral dilemmas 0.55 Orchestra: First of six programmes, presented by Jane Glover, tracing the history of music-ma through the ages. Today: from Monteverdi's opera Tancredi and Citorinda.
- Sergeant Bilko: Phil Silvers in the best American Army 11.29 comedy series ever made (except for M*A*S*H). 11.50 Weather prospects for

Tv-am

7.00 Rub-a-Dub-Tub, for the vary young, followed by Good Morning Britain (presented by Michael Parkinson) at 8.00. itams include news at 8.00, 8.30, 9.30 and 9.12: the Sunday Papers, at 8.10: Political Gossip, at 8.35; Book spot at 8.40; Discussion of the Week, at 9.08 and Sport at 8.00 and 8.10, and London Marathon report between 8.00

ITV/LONDON

- 9.30 Me and My Car: How to improve your MoT test chances; 10.00 Morning Worship: from Holy Trinity Church, Rothwell, West Yorkshire; 11.00 Link: The financial barriers that hold back physically handicapped students: 11.30 God's Story: Paul Meets Jesus. With Paul Copley (r); 11.45 Cartoon Time.
- 2.00 Weekend World: with Brian Walden examines the Police
- 1.00 University Challenge: Undergraduates general knowledge contest; 1.30 Police 5: with Shaw Taylor; 1.45 This Sporting Summer Action-filled portrait of Actor Makey rider John Davis; 2.15 London news beadlines. Followed by:- Film: The Iron Maiden (1962). Amlable British comedy about a veteran traction engine and an American aircraft designer (Michael Craig). With Alan
- 4.00 The Fugitive: Kimble (David Janssen) arouses the wrath of a religious zealot of a
- grandfather (Harry Townes) (r) 5.00 The Prince and Princess of Wales in Australia: Another ITN compilation of Down Under highlights.
- 5.30 The Boy Who Won the Pools: Sami (Vivienna McKone) is offered a recording contract in episode 8.
- 6.00 Credo: The Doctrine Commission and its role in the Church of England's search for a new image of God; 6.30
- 6.40 Song to the Lord: Religious music from Cardiff (r).
- 7.15 Rising Damp: Lodging house comedy with Leonard Rossite as the landlord (r). Cuffy: The tinker (Bernard Cribbins) and the vacancy for a
- dilage hall caretaker. Film: Echoes of a Summe (1975). Drama with Jodie Foster as the dying daughter of parents Richard Harris and Lois Nettleton.
- 10.00 News from ITN. 10.15 Edmund Kean: Repeat screening of Ben ("Gandhi") Kingsley's tour de force as the barnstorming 19th century actor (r).
- 11.15 A Gala Concert: James Loughran conducts the Hallé Orchestra in Walton's Violin Concerto (Nigel Kennedy is the soloist) and Britten's Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra.
- 12.40 Close: Brian Blessed reads something by Francis Bacon.

John Duttine (left) and Frank Middlemass in To Serve Them All My Days (BBC 2, 10.20 p.m.)

BBC 2

- 6.25 Open University (until 1.55), ending with Maths Methods: linear programming at 1.30. 1.55 Rugby Special: England Schools v Wales Schools 19
- Group. 2.45 World Snooker: Second day's play in the Embassy World Professional Championship More at 5.45, 8.10 and 11.50.
- 3.20 Film: The Charge of the Light Brigade (1936) Tip-top Errol Flynnery about life in the 27th Lancers. A treat, too, for fans of Olivia de Havitland. Directed
- 5.10 News Review: with Jan Leeming and sub-titles 5.45 World Snocker: More coverage of the Embassy
- 7.15 The World About Us: The Sharkcallers of Kontu. The spectacular and dangerous ritual practised off the west coast of New Ireland, Papua New Guinea, it could.
- however, soon be a thing of the past; 8.05 News and 8.10 World Snooker: In action tonight are Dennis Taylor, Silvino Francisco, Willie
- Thome and John Virgo. 8.50 International Pro-Celebrity Golf: Sean Connery and
- 9.40 Glasgow: Though many of the city's East Enders have moved out, they still return from time to time to re-live memories and have a drink or watch football. 10.20 To Serve Them All My Days: Episode 2 of the R F
- Deiderfield school story that wears its heart on its sleeve. With John Duttine and Frank Middlemass as teacher and
- Prix. Action from the Paul Ricard circuit near Marseilles. Much fancied are the McLaren drivers. Niki Lauda and John Watson after their Long Beach triumphs.
- Crucible Theatre in Sheffield for more play in the Embassy World Professional Championships. David Vine is in charge. Ends at 1.00am

- by Michael Curtiz*
- 6.30 The Money Programme: Why more holidaymakers are choosing to sail in Soviet cruise ships, and what Britain is doing about it.

- Severiano Ballesteros versus Howard Keel and Lee Trevino.
- 11.15 Grand Prix: The French Grand
- 11.50 World Snooker: Back to the

CHANNEL 4 2.05 Today's History: Inflation -

- Who Wins? The battle that has been going on for 2,000 years. 2.30 Crucible - Science in Society: The health service that
- 3.30 Right to Repty: Viewers in London and the South East give the thumbs-up or thumbs-
- down to Channel 4. 4.30 Master Bridge: First of 14 programmes in which top bridge players (including Omar Sharif and Rixe Markus)
- 4.55 News headlines, Followed by: Root and Branch: The role that black and Asian workers play in trade union affairs in Britain.
- 5.30 The Outsiders: John Pilger interviews Sean MacBride, founder of Amnesty International. 6.00 Look Forward: Channel 4
- appetizers:
 6.15 Badminton: The continuing battle to find the top men's and
- women's pairings in the Famous Grouse World Doubles Challenge. 7.15 Music in Time: James Galway presents the first of 16 films about the history of music in the western world. Famous
- orchestras and artistes take 8.15 Tell the Truth: New panel game, with Sue Arnold, Lynda Bellingham, Brian Hayes, and Jack Tinker. The MC is
- Graeme Garden. 8.45 Father's Day: New cornedy series begins, starring John Alderton as the writer / husband / father. Rosalind Ayres plays his wife. Written by To The Manor Born creator
- Peter Spence. Brideshead Revisited: All eleven episodes of John Mortimer's highly acclaimed dramatization of Evelyn Waugh's novel are being ed on Sunday nights Tonight's opening instalment is the double-length one, and it takes Charles Ryder (Jeremy trons) back to Brideshead, home of the tormented Marchmains. Co-starring Anthony Andrews, Diana
- Quick and John Gielgud (1) Alfred Hitchcock Presents: The Diplomatic Corpse. The vanished body that prevents a couple from inheriting a fortune. With George Peppard and Peter Lorre. Ends at 11.40.

Radio 4

- 5.25 Shipping Toracast. 5.30 News. 1.30 News.
 1.32 Farming Today.
 1.50 in Perspective: religious affairs.
 1.55 Weather, travel.
 1.00 News.
 1.10 Today's Papers.
 1.15 On Your Parm.
 1.45 in Perspective. 1.45 in Perspective, 1.50 in a Bargain, 1.55 Weather; travel, 1.00 News, 1.10 Today's Papers. L15 Sporton 4
- Yesterday in Parliament. Weather; travel. I.OS. Brasicaway: holiday and travel. news. News Stand: raview of weekly 1.533
- magazines.
 1.05 Week in Westminster,
 1.30 Daily Servicer
 1.45 Pick of the Weekt
 1.35 From Our Charles From Our Own Corredpondent. .00 News. .02 Money Box: everyday financial .27 Fm Sorry ! Haven't a Clust .55 Weather.
- .00 News.
 .10 Any Cuestione?
 .55 Stopping forecast.
 .00 Thirty-Minute Theatre: A Sort of Farewell, by Carol Bruggen.
 .35 But Chencellor: an inquiry into the Treasury (2) †
 .56 Weffels.
 .30 Groundswell: 12 programmes about our environment (2).
 .80 News.
- .00 Neurs. .02 thernational Assignment: BBC correspondents on a current .30 Does He Take Sugar? Megazine for disabled listeners. .00 Herbs, Useful Plants (last in

zenes); grow your own. 25 Week Ending: A satirical review

of the week's newst .50 Shipping forecast.

5xHz/463m.

- 5.55 Weather; travel.
 6.00 News; sport round-up.
 6.25 Desert Island Discs?
 7.20 Stop the Wask with Robert 8.06 Richard Baker: Music on
- records? 8.30 Saturday-Night Theatre: Colourband, a comedy by Brian
- 10.15 Switzerland: The First Sattle:
 Robert Finnigan reports on
 Swiss attempts to protect,
 survive and avoid The First 11.00 Lighten Our Darkness. 11.15 Stop the Week with Robert Robinsont
- 12.00 News; weather. ENGLAND: VHF with above Radio 3
- 7.55 Weather. 8.00 News. 8.05 Aubade: Mozart, Franz Strauss, Kodały (1). Kodaly (f).

 9.05 Nevrs.

 9.05 Record Review (f).

 10.15 Stareo Release (f). Stravinsky.

 Tchalkovsky, Rachmeninov. The
 Hachmaninov is the Symphonic

 Poem, The ists of the Dead. The
- Tchalkovsky work is the Serusde for Strings.
 11.15 BBC Weish Symphony Orchestra (7) Part 1: Mozart, Firzi 12.05 interval Reading. 12.10: Concert, part 2: Reger. 1.00 News.
 1.05 Howard Shelley (f) plano recital: Hayda, Schumann, Prokođev. 2.00 The Music of Spain (I): Gimenez Chapi, Valle, Granados, Albeniz, Turina, Torroba, Falla,

Joenguinicen, Cano, Mompou,

Arriage. 5.00 Mainly for Pleasure (1).

CENTRAL

As London except: Starts 9.35am God's Story, 8.50 Larry the Lamb. 19.05-10.30 Ster Reat, 8.45pm-9.45 Fibra Captain Simbad (Guy Williams). 10.30 Star Scotter: Hosted by Carry Newbon, 11.30 Pound for Pound, 12.30am Closedown.

ANGLIA

- 5.45 Office Forum With Ronald trioss Fortial with Fortial Hayman Richard Cork, John Haggins and Hilary Spurling. They review, among other trions, the Fivals at the national Theatre and the film Sophie's
 - 6,35 The (berian Organ (f): recital in Salamanca Cathedral; Cabanilles, Francisco Correa de 7.15 Pedestrian: short story by Espeth Davie. 7.30 BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra (1): part 1, Brahms. 8.20 Michael Drayton: an anthology
 - of his postry. 8.40 BBC Scottlett Symphony Orchestra (1): part 2, Beethoven.
 - 9.35 Interpretations on Record (f): Bach violin and clayler sonates, BWV1014-9. 10-25 A Landscape of Song (f): English part-songs with open themes. 11-18 News.
 - VHF only: Open University: 6.55cm Television and Politics (5): 7.15 Shakespeare and The Globe, 7.35-7.55 Maths Foundation Tutorial. 11.20-11.40pm Risks of Risk
 - Radio 2 5.00mm Tony Brandon 1, 8.05 David.
 Jacobs 1, 10.00 Sound of the 60s 1,
 11.00 Album Time 1, 11.02 Sports
 Desk, 1.00 The impressionists, 1.90
 Sport on 2, including: FA Cup samifinals, Racing, Newbury: 2.30 Clerical
 Medical Greenham Stakes, 3:00
 Melionists Metiab Spring Cup, 3:30
 John Poster Stakes, 5:00 Sports
 Report, 7:00 Jazz Scona, 7:30 Big Band
 Special: 8:00 Gais Concert? from the
 Cliffs Pavilion, Southend-on-Sea, 8:509:10 Interval, 10:00 Nordring Festival
 1982 1, 11:02 Sports Desk, 11:10 Pete
 Murray's Late Show 1, 2:00-5:00em Liz
 Allen 1 presents You and the Night and
 the Music.

12-45 Closedown

- Radio 1 6.00 Wakeup to the -weekend wity Adrian John. 8.00 Tony Blackburn's s.40 wateup is the -westeria way Adrian John. 8.00 Tony Bleckburn's Saturday Show. 18.00 Deve Lee Travis. 1.00 Guitar Greats: Scotty Moore 1. 2.00 A King in New York 1 with Jonathan Ring. 2.05 Paul Gambacchi t.
- 4.00 Saturday Live t. 6.30 in Concert t featuring Roman Holliday and A Da Fe. 7.30 Janice Long. 10.00 Gary VHF Radios 1 and 2 5.00sm With Radio 2. 1.00 With Radio 1. 7.30-5.9 sm With Radio 2.
- World Service 6.00mm Neverleek, 6.20 Album Time. 7.30 World News. 7.00 News About Britain. 7.15 From the Weeking. 7.30 Chastiled Record Review. 7.45 Network UK. 8.00 World News.
- From the Westkiles. 7.30 Cincetified Record Review. 7.45 Network UK. 8.00 World News. 8.08 Endictions. 8.15 The Chamson. 8.30 Brain of Birtain 1983. 8.90 World News. 9.08 Review of the Britain Press. 9.15 The World Today. 9.30 Flumetal News. 9.09 Look Ahead. 9.45 People and Potitics. 18.15 What's news. 1.150 World News. 11.10 News About Brisin. 11.15 About Britain. 11.30 Meridian. 12.00 Radio Newsrest. 12.16 Arghing Goes. 12.45 Sports Roundup. 1.20 World News. 1.20 Commentary. 1.15 Network. 1.20 Strictly Instrumental. 2.06 Strattley Speciel. 9.00 Radio Newsrest. 2.15 Shorts Roundup. 1.20 World News. 1.20 Commentary. 1.15 Network. 1.20 Strattley Speciel. 4.00 World News. 8.00 Commentary. 4.15 Saturday Speciel. 4.00 World News. 8.00 Commentary. 8.15 Good Books. 2.30 Hardy and Music. 9.15 The Brotherhood of Bress. 9.30 People and Potitics. 10.00 World News. 10.00 From our own Correspondent. 10.20 New Ideas. 18.40 Reflections. 19.45 Sports Roundup. 11.90 World News. 11.15 Letterbox. 11.20 Meridian. 12.00 World News. 12.15 Radio Newsrest. 12.20 Pipy of the Week. 1.45 Reflections. 5.00 World News. 2.09 Review of the British Press. 2.15 Short Stoy. 2.30 Review of the British Press. 5.15 Letterbox. 5.45 Letter from America.

 All Strate Gott.
 - . WHAT THE SYMBOLS MEAN. Broc. & Black and white. (1) Report.

TYNE TEES

As London except: Starts 9.25 am

Morning Glory, 9,30 Fantastic Four, 10,00 "TT" Time, 10,05-10,30 Star Fleet, 5,15 pg.-6,45 Film: Gentle Gla

Boy's friendship with a bear cub. 10.30 Shoot. 11.30 Film: Warror of Deception.

Flaimates disappear after applying for the same job. 12.40 am Epilogue. 12.45

Radio 4

- 6.25 Shipping Forecast. 6.30 News. 6.32 Morning Has Broken. 6.35 Weather; Travel; Programme
- 7.00 News. 7.00 News. 7.10 Sunday Papers. 7.16 Make Yourself at Home. 7.45 Bells.
- 7.45 Belts.
 7.50 The Shape of God.
 7.55 Weather, Travel, Programme
 News.
 8.90 News.
 8.10 Sunday Papers.
 8.15 Sunday, Religious news.
 8.50 Week's Good Cause.
 Architetural Heritage Fund.
 8.55 Weather, Travel, Programme
 News.
- 9.00 News. 9.10 Sunday Papers. 9.30 Morning Service. 10.15 The Archers. Omnibus edition.
- 10.15 The Archers. Omnibus edition.
 11.15 Weekend.
 11.2.00 Smash of the Dayt. The Hitch-Hiter's Guide to the Galaxy (4).
 12.30 The Food Programme News.
 1.2.56 Westher; Programme News.
 1.00 The World This Weekend: News.
 1.55 Shipping Forecast.
 2.00 News.
 2.02 Gardners' Question Time.
 2.30 Afternoon Theatref: "The Good Citizen Kyle" by Alan Berrie.
 4.00 News. 4.00 News.
 4.02 Hound Britain Cutz-1983.
 4.39 The Living World.
 5.00 News: Travel; Programme

- 8.45 Coast To Coast. 9.00 News. 9.02 Rodney Stone by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle (4).
- 10.00 News. 10.15 Inferno Revisited. A musical play by Peter Howell. 11.00 There Was A Time . . . t. Michael
 - Austin on places of personal spiritual significance. Inside Parliament. News: Westher News; Weather. Sipping Forecast; Inshore Forecast. ENGLAND: VHF with above ENGLAND: VHF with above except: 6.55-7.55 Open University: 8.55 Modern Art: Cazanne. 7.15 Music Interlude. 1.55-2.00 Programme News. 4.0-6.0 Study On: 4.0 Another Door Opens. 4.30 Euromagazin. Spanish (new series) 5.0 Get By in Graek. 5.30 Well Woman.

- Radio 3
- 9.05 Your Concert Choice. Record requests: Liszt, Mendelssohn, Britten.; 10.30 Music Weekly.1
- News.. 5.05 Down Your Way, including 5.50 5.05 Down Your Way, including 5.5 Shipping Forecast. 5.55 Westier; Programme News. 6.00 News. 6.15 Feedback. Response to Islandra Comments. 6.30 At The End Of My Tether (3). 7.02 The Curious World Of 8.00 Music To Rememberl. Faurs, Mendelssohn.

- 7.55 Weather. 8.00 News: 8.05 Arthur Rubisnstein, Mozart, Chopin, Prokofiev; records.t 9.00 News.
- 11.20 Orchestra of Britain, City of London Sinfonia. Part 1: Haydn, John Casken. 12.10 Interval Reading. 12.15 Part 2: Mozart, Schubert.1 Schubert 1

 1.16 Smetana String Quartet.
 Janacek, Dvorak 1

 2.16 Poulenc and Britten Song
 Oydes, Rectal 1

 2.40 Eiger and Sibeltus, BBC
 Philharmonic Orchestra 1

 3.45 The Living Poet Derek Mahone.
 4.15 Czech Cello and Piano Mahon.

- 5.00 Venics Preserv'd. Academy of Ancient Music: Vivali, Albinoni, Marcello.† 5.50 Indirect Frontage to the River. Kenneth Hudson on estate
- 6.10 Venice Preserv'd. Concert: part 2: further works by Vivaldi. Albinoni, Marcello,†
 7.00 New Music for Choice, Janet. 7.00 New Music for Choice, Janet Graham, Sven-David Sandstrom.† 7.30 The Ducheas's Diary. Play by Robin Chapman, based on an incident and character in Don
- Outcode, 18, 10-8, 20 in Spanish music on record. 9.00 Haltink and the Philhermonia Deferred relay from the Royal Festival Hall, Part 1: Haydn.† 9.30 Works of Art. Poetry readings 9.50 Concert, Part 2: Brahms (Ein
- Deutsches Requiem).† 11.15 News. VHF ONLY - OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.55am The Mature Learner 7.15 Social

Radio 2

Sciences Magazine (2) 7.35-7.55 Art and Environment

S.00 Tony Brandon t with The Sunday Early Show. 7.30 Nick Paget. 9.00 Music and Marathon Special t The Gillette London Marathon. 1.30 The Random Jottings of Hinge and Brackett. 2.00 Ray Mooret With Two's Best. 3.00 Alan Delif with Sounds Easy. 4.00 Sing Something Simplet with The Adam Singers. 4.30 String Soundt. 5.00 Cornedy Classics: Steptoe and Son. 5.30 Charlie Chester with your Sunday Scapbox, including with your Sunday Scapbox, including 5.30 French Grand Prix Desk, 6.30 jan Wallace and Friends. 7.00 Come Hell or High Water. 7.30 Glamorous Nights. 8.30 Sunday Half-hour from the Parish Church of St Andrew's, Farnham, Surrey. 8.00 Your Hundred Best Tunes, 10.00 European Pop Jury. 11.2 Sports

- Desk. 11.05 Pete Murray's Late Show stereo from midnight. 2.00-5.00 Liz Allent presents You and the Night and
- Radio 1 6.00 Pat Sharp. 8.00 Tony Blackburn's Sunday Show. 10.00 Adrian Juste. 12.00 Jimmy Savile's Clid Record Club. 2.00 Gary Daviss. 3.00 My Top 12. Martin Shaw. 5.00 Top 401 with Simon Batts. 7.00 Ann Nightingalet. 9.00 From Mento to Lovers' Rock! A history of Jamaican music. 10.00 Sounds of Jazzt. 12.00 Close. VHF RADIOS 1 and 2: 5.00sm With Radio 2. 5.00pm With Radio 1. 12.0-5.0sm With Radio 2.

World Service

World Service

6.00 Newsdask. 6.30 Counterpoint. 7.00 World News. 7.09 News about Bitlain. 7.15 From Our Own Correspondent. 7.30 Sarah and Company. 8.00 World News. 8.05 Reflections. 8.15 The Pleasure's Yours. 9.09 Review of the British Press. 8.15 Science in Action. 9.45 Sports Review. 10.15 Classical Record Review. 11.00 World News. 11.03 Review of the British Press. 8.15 Science in Action. 9.45 Sports Review. 10.15 Classical Record Review. 11.00 World News. 11.03 News about Britain. 11.15 Letter from America. 11.30 Payof the Week. 12.45 The Goldan Age of Pop. 1.00 World News. 1.09 Commentary. 1.15 Good Book. 1.30 Short Story. 1.46 The Tony Myst Request Show. 2.30 The British Film Industry: Dead of Alive. 3.00 Paddo News. 8.09 Commentary. 4.15 From Our Own Correspondent. 8.10 World News. 8.00 Commentary. 8.15 Letterbox. 8.30 Sunday Half Hour. 9.00 Love and Nr Lewisham. 9.15 The Pleasure's Yours. 18.00 World News. 10.09 Science in Action. 10.00 Reflections. 10.45 Sports Roundup. 11.00 World News. 10.09 Science in Action. 10.00 Reflections. 10.45 Sports Roundup. 11.00 World News. 12.09 News About Britain. 12.16 Redio Newsreel. 12.25 Religious Services. 1,00 Hardy and Maisc. 1.45 Portraits of Our Time. 2.07 World News. 2.09 Review of the British Press. 2.15 Good Books. 2.30 Marsh News Summery. 5.45 Portraits of Our Time. 2.07 World News. 5.09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summery. 5.45 Portraits of Our Time. All Stenes in Cell T

REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

BBC 1

- BBC WALES 1.55-2.15 p.m. Mickey and Donald, 2.15-3.15 Sports Line-up: International Rugby Union: (Wales Schools v England Schools), 3.15-3.20 News of Wales, SCOTLAND 1.00-1.25 p.m. Landward, 1.25-1.50 Agenda, 4.15-5.15 Sportscens: Includes Footbath highlights from one of the semi-finals of s. Is sports that an extension of the sent-finals of the Scottish Cup, and from England, highlights from an F.A. Cup sent-final, 10.26-11.10 Miller, (science writer Hugh Miller and his works), 11.10-11.40 Orchestra (as BBC 1 10.55 p.m.), 11.40 News, MORTHERN PRELAND 11.50 rn Ireland News. ENGLAND
- S4C

11.55 Cinsa.

- YORKSHIRE
- CENTRAL As London except: 9.30em-10.00 Paint along with Nancy, 11.30-12.00 Me and my Car. 1.30pm Here and Now. 2.00 Gardening Time, 2.30 Firm: Sound Barrier (Raiph Richardson) Stresses and strains of living with a test pilot. 11.40 Music International presents. 12.40am Closedown.

GRANADA

As London except: Starts 9.35-10.00 History Makers, 11.00 Me And My Car. 11.25 Aap Kaa Hek, 11.30-12.00 This is Your Right, 1.30 Incredible Hulk, 2.20 Film: Coney Island (Betty Grable) 1943 musical 4.05-5.00 Love Boat. 11.40 Trapper John, MD, 12.40 Closedown TYNE TEES

As London except: 9.30 Link, 11.90 Look Around, 11.05 Jason of Star Command, 11.17 God's Story, 11.30 Me and My Car. 11.58 N E News, 1.30

TVS

TSW As London except: 9.30em-10.00 Link. 11.00 Me and My Car. 11.30-12.00 South West Week. 1.00pm University South West Week. 1.00pm Universit Challenge. 1.30 Farming News. 2.00 Gerdens for Al. 2.30 Film: Magnifice Serven Deadly Sins (Bruce Forsyth). Serven comic stories, 4.30-5.00 Greates Hits 1981, 7,15-7.45 Newhart, 11.40 Quincy, 12.35cm Postscript, 12.41

As London except Starts 8.45am-10.00 God's Story, 11.30-12.00 Me and My Car. 1.00pm Contrasts. 1.30 Farming Outdock. 2.00 Gardening Time. 2.30 Border Diary, 2.35 Film: Plying Deuces* (Laurel and Hardy). 3.40 House Calls. 4.05-5.00 Little House On The Prairie.

BORDER

ANGLIA As London except: 9.30-10.00 World We Live In. 11.30-12.00 Me And My Car. 1.30 Westher. 1.35 Farming Diary, 2.05 Film: Rendezous House. Chaos greets a hotel guidebook writer. 3.35 Radio, 4.05-5.00 Mannix. 11.45 Last Outlew. 12.40 Responsibleness of the 12.40 Ressonableness of the Resurrection, Closedown.

SCOTTISH

As London except: Starts 9.35am Here's Boomer. 10.00-11.10 Sesame Street. 11.30-12.00 Me and my Car. 1.30pm Farming Outlook. 2.00 God's Story. 2.15 Unaccustomed as I am. 3.15 Glen Michael Cavaicade. 4.00-6.00 Little House on the Prairte. 6.00-6.30 Cross-Current. 11.40 Late Call. 11.45 Jet Set. Jester. 12.15am Closedown.

HTY As London except: 9.30am-19.00 Ask Oscari 11.39-12.00 Me and my Car 1.00pm God's Story. 1.15 University Challenge. 1.45 Farming Diary. 2.15 Father Murphy. 3.15-5.00 Film: Carry on Cabby (Sidney James, Hatti Jacques). 11.40 Lost Kingdom.

HTV WALES

CHANNEL

As HTV West except: 2.15pm Falcon Island. 2.45-3.15 Health Choice.

As London except: 1.57pm Starting Point, 2.00 Gardens for All, 2.30 Film: Magnificent Seven Deadly Sins. As TSW. 4.30-5.00 Greatest Hits - 1981. 7.15-7.45 Newhart. 11.40 Culncy. 12.35am Closedown.

GRAMPIAN As London except: Starts 9.45am Once Upon A Time. . . Man. 10.15-11.00 Brass in Concert. 11.30-12.00 Me and My Car. in Londart. 130-12.00 Me and by Car.
1.30pm Farming Outlook. 2.00
Sardening Time. 2.30 Unaccustomed As
I Anil 3.30-5.00 Film: Pied Piper
(Donovan). Hametin's hero finds that the
Mayor is a rat, too. 11.40 Reflections.
11.45 Portrait of a Legend: Rick Nelson.
12.15 Closedown.

12.15 Closedown ULSTER

As London except: Starts 11.00 Link.
11.3012.00 Me And My Car. 1.30
Farming Ulster. 2.00 Gardening Time.
2.30 Paint Along with Nancy. 3.00
Centron. 3.15-5.00 Film: Topper (Cary Grant) Couple of ghosts see a haradder bank president as a way into heaven.
11.40 Sports Results. 11.45 News,
Clossadown.

REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

EQUENCIES: Radio 1 MF 1053kHz/285m or 1089kHz/275m. Radio 2 MF 693kHz/433m or 909kHz/330m. Radio 1/2 VHF 88-91MHz. Radio 3 VHF 92-95MHz, MF 1215kHz/247m. Radio 4 LF 200kHz/1500m and VHF 92-95MHz. Greater London Area MF 720kHz/417m. LBC MF 1152kHz/261m, F 97.3MHz. Capital MF 1548kHz/194m, VHF 95.8MHz. BBC Radio London MF 1458kHz/206m and VHF 94.9MHz. World Service MF

BBC1	TVS
C WALES 5.45-5.50 pm Sports News les; 1,15 ms. Weather for Wales; s4. SCOTLAND 5.45.5.50 pm. reboard, 1.15 ms. Weather for Nand; Close, MORTHERN IRELAND -5.10 pm. Northern Ireland Results t-cut from Grandstand; 5.45.5.50	As London except 9.30 am Secret Valley, 10.05-10.30 Ster Fleet, 5.15 pm News and Sport, 6.20 Knight Rider, 6.15-6.45 Rising Damp, 10.30 Seturday Match, 11.30 Studio, 12.30 am Company, Closedown.
them reland News; 1.15 am them reland seve headings and	BORDER
ither Close, ENGLAND 5.45-5.50 London and the South-East Sport at Wast Phymouth); Sportight Sport. other English regions; rt/Regional News, 1.20 am Close.	As London except: Starts 9.40stn Adventures of Guilliver, 10.05-10.30 Star Filset, 5.15ptn-5.45 Film: Gentle Gusht. The friendship between a boy and a bear cub, 10.30 Match Time, 11.35 Lou Grant, 12.30stn Closedown.
Ser.	CHRIT IZAGEN CICAGOUNIA

···S4C ts Z.18pes Stacing an Opera. Z.35 Sciements, 3.15 What a Picture. 3.40 Scot as New. 1: Forniture. 4.85 Year or Francis. 5.06 Yr Amr Faux. 6.80 tch. 7.00 Tuylo? Taulu. 7.30 yddion. 7.45 Hynnu Syn. 8.15 stick Capera. 8.45 Gles y Dorler. I'Y Mass Chresses. 16.05 Film: hers Lights. US smed farmers Spitt ing sopicitation. 12.15em sedown.

CHANNEL -London except Starts 12.15 pm fd of Sport, 8.15 Puffin's Pallos. I Happy Days, 5.45-5.46 Palcon 12. 11.30 Average Wisto Band, 12.15

As London except starts 5.35 a.m.
God's Story, 9.36 European Folk Tales,
10.05-10.30 Star Fleet, 5.15 p.m.-6.45
Filter Gentle Gland, Boy's friendship with
a beer cuts, 10,30 March of the Week,
11.30 Star Farade, 12.30 a.m. At the
End of the Day, Closedown.

GRAMPIAN As London except: Starts 9.25am God's Story, 9.50 Noddy. 10.05-10.30 Star Flast 5.15pm-6.45 Flar Captain Sinbed. 10.30 Scotsport. 12.06 Reflections. 12.05am Gangster Chronicles. 1.00 Closedown.

TWS As London except; Starts 9.25em Look

As London except: 5.15pm Metal Mickey, 5.45-6.46 Chips, 11.30 Mannix, 12.30mm Closedown. HTV-No variation.

HTV

As London social: Starm & Josen Look and Sels. 10.29 Gas Honeyour's. 10.30 Star Fleet. 10.50 The Fugiliye. 11.40 WKPP to Cincinnell. 12.12pm-12.15 News. 5.15 Newsport. 5.20 Hoppy Days 5.45-6.46 Felcon Crest. 11.30 Average White Band, 12.15am Postscript, 12.21

GRANADA

As London except starts 9.35 a.m. God's Story. 8.59 Cartoon. 10.06-10.30 Star Fleet, 5.15 p.m. Song for Liss. 5.45-6.45 Chipt. 10.30 Match Tore. 11.35 Film: Neither the See. Nor the Sand.

ULSTER As London except: starts 10.06 a.m.-10.30 Star Fleet, 5.00 p.m.-5.05 Sports Results, 5.15-6.45 Firm: Captain Sinbad 1.38 Lou Grant: 12.25 a.m. Close

SCOTTISH

As London except:Starts-9.35em

Wattoo Wattoo 9.40 The Smarts, 10.06-10.30 Star Fleet, 5.15pm-5.45 Film: Captain Stribed (Guy Willams), 10.30 Scotsport, 12.00 Lab Call, 12.05em Two of us. 12.35 Clasedown. YORKSHIRE As London except starts 9.30 a.m. As Lundoves, 2.49 Fang Face, 10.06-10.30 Star Fleet E.15 p.m. 4.45 Film: Gende Glant, Friendship between a boy and a bear cub. 10.30 Eig Gerne, 11.35 Etan John and Sydne Rome Show, 12.38 a.m. Closedown,

Starts 2.15pm Flermwyr. 2.20 Week in Politics. 3.00 Tennis that Counts. 3.25 7 Days. 3.50 Le Pélerinage. 4.10 Archyg. 4.40 Henry Cooper's Golden Belt. 5.35 Race, Rhetoric, Restatari, 6.30 issword, 7.00 Newyddion, 7.10 Iperted, 7.20 Yr Etifeddiaeth Wy 7.50 Theatr Ysgain yn cyflwyno...Sidnl. 8.20 Dyfroedd Byw. 8.50 Film: M"A"SH" (Donald Sutherignd) Original film of the T.Y comedy series, 10.50 Lete Citye James, 11.30 Stand Your Ground, 12.00 Visions, 1.45am Closedown.

As London except: 9.20-10.06 Link.
11.00 Me And My Car. 11.30-12.00
Farming Diary. 1.00 God's Story. 1.15
University Challenge. 1.45 Story. 1.15
Levicas Man. 3.15-5.00 Film: The Jokers
(Michael Crawford) Brothers plan to
borrow the Crown Jewels. 11.40 Fiva
Mirutes. 11.46 Cities: Afrens. 12.40
Closedons.

Farming Outlook, 2.00 Little House on the Prairie, 3.00 Film: The Consider Brothers, 4.58 N E News, 7.15 Pig in the Middle, 00.40 Epilogue.

As London except: 1.30 Ferm Focus. 2.00 Film: Abbott and Costello in 2.00 First About and Costeed in Hollywood Movieland comedy with some good laughs 3.30 Bowls 4.00 Bracken. 7.15 Cuffy, 7.45 Echoes of Summer, 12.30 Company and

Awacs fly over Central America

Washington

The Reagan Administration has revealed that Awacs radar surveillance aircraft have been operating over Central America and the Caribbean for the past two months to spy on air traffic moving into and out of

Nicaragua.

News about the operations of the Awacs was made public in an attempt to underline the Administration's concern about an alleged arms build-up by Nicaragua. The US contends that the Sandinist Government in Nicaragua is supplying some of these weapons to left-wing insurgents fighting against American supported Government forces in neighbouring El Salvador.

US sources said the aircraft. which are based at Tinker Air Force base in Oklahoma, had only been using international air space and that all their operations were in compliance

with international law.
The revelation that these highly sophisticated spy aircraft are being used in the region has underscored the United States expanding although still largely secret, involvement in Central America which the Reagan Administration regards as its front line against the spread of Marxism in Latin America.

However, their involvement is also certain to heighten congressional concern that the US is allowing itself to become increasingly involved in the conflicts that are taking place in El Salvador, Nicaragua, Guatemala and Honduras.

On Thursday President Reagan went out of his way strenuously to deny reports that the US was trying to overthrow the Nicaraguan Government. Anything we are doing in that area is to interdict the supply lines which are supplying the guerrillas in El Salvador," he told journalists.

More popular: Expectations that President Reagan will seek reelection next year rose yesterday after publication of a new opinion poll which found that his popularity had increased sharply in recent weeks.

SATURDAY APRIL 16 1983 Scargill turns his back on London

By Paul Routledge, Labour Editor

The miners turned their backs on London yesterday and returned to their roots in the Yorkshire coalfield with a characteristic flourish of contempt for the capital.

Mr Arthur Scargill, left-wing leader of the National Union of Mineworkers, said: "I have been president for a year and 10 days. That is a year and 10 days in London too long. My only regret is that we did not leave sooner."

As he watched an eight-ton marble sculpture of two miners at the coal face being winched out of the Euston Road headquarters of the union, he freely indulged his dislike for the seductive powers of the capital.

"London is a place where you can be very easily sucked into the system, and I have no intention of allowing that to happen", he insisted. "The sooner we get back to the coalfield, the better."

The union takes up temporary residence in an office block in Sheffield next week, while a £3.8m headquarters is built over the next two years on a site fext to the City Hall.

Only three of the 36 full-time staff of the London office share Mr Scargill's enthusiasm for his native heath. The rest have quit, and the redundancy "buy-out" costs are likely to amount to £160,000 a year.

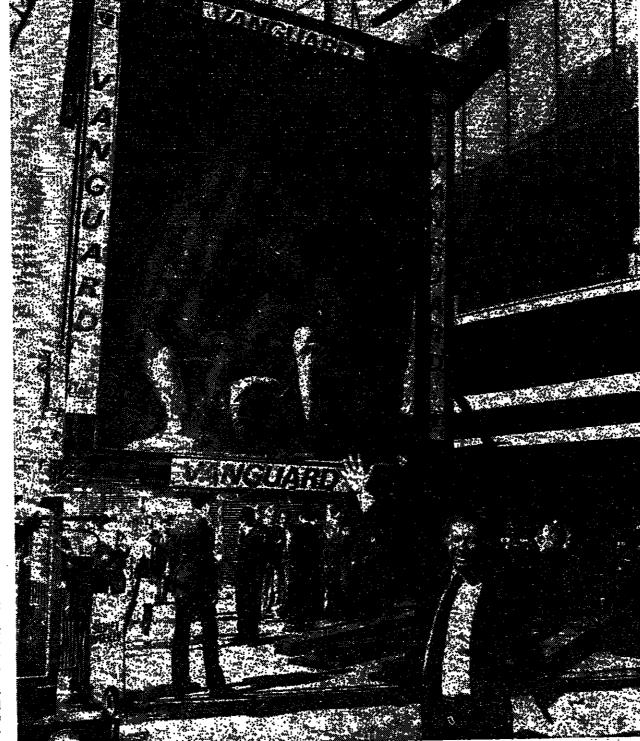
The miners have never really been at home in London. With the exception of their gourmet former president, Lord Gormley, they stuck to a tight (sometimes quite literally) circuit of public houses and hotels in the Euston area.

The 25 members of the executive even had left-wing and right-wing Irish public houses.

All that is over. Like it or not (and some members of the executive are bitterly regretting their support for the unanimous decision to move north) they will have to travel to Yorkshire for senior-level meetings of the mion.

But Mr Ian MacGregor, chairman-designate of the National Coal Board, is unlikely to journey to the new Camelot of "King Arthur". Negotiation and consultative meetings will continue to be held at the board's headquarters in Grosvenor

Place, The union's staff were not there yesterday to see the ritual publicity surrounding the move of the



Vigour of Youth. Wisdom of that has statue adorned the NUM entrance hall for more than two decades. The sculpture is going into store.

Mr Scargill left the capital as he first came to it in the 1950s as an industrial organizer on the national committee of the Young Communist League, breathing fire against the employers and threatening a strike at an unspecified time over pit closures. The miners will not miss London. The feeling is probably reciprocated.

Letter from the Western Desert

Tourist road arrives to ruin the last oasis

will be unrecognizable. It seemed an understatement as neat rows of Scandinavian conifers came into view at Bahariyah, most northerly of the four villages on the 700-mile road which sweeps southwest of Cairo, half way to Libya, then back through the New Valley to the Nile.

The trees are Sweden's contribution to a landreclamation scheme. A few miles away, iron-ore workings provide a new source of income to Bahariyah's population of 7,000.

In the New Valley, Kharga already had an airport, and is, with Dakhla, the focus of an ambitious agricultural development project which Field Marshal Adbelhalim Abu-Ghazala, the Defence Minister, once suggested could include a canal, five times as long as that at Suez, to the Mediterranean.

Only Farafra, smallest of the cases, remains a remote and quintessentially private place even much of the farming goes on behind high walls built, like the houses, of sun-dried mud brick.

It is a clean and austere village, its only external decoration the fine calligraphy of Koranic verses outside the homes of those who have made the hajj, the pigrimage to Mecca. Here and there are paintings of the ship or aircraft in which the hajji travelled; but these are the sole obvious acknowledgment that the outside world exists.

Sadat had a house built here, but never used it, and it squats, a graceless, buff-and-red concrete building behind an 8ft wall and deserted watch-tower on a nearby mound. The villagers do not go up there, while the soldiers who camp at the foot of the hill keep to themselves. The state's presence is restricted to a post office, whose cool and silent interior contains what appears to be Farafra's one portrait of President Mubarak.

At the bus stop in Bahariyah, men gather to read the newspapers brought from

Visit the Western Desert Cairo; but the bus does not now, an Egyptian advised. continue to Farafra. In the Within two years the cases three days I recently spent three days I recently spent there, lodging for 60p a night in the police station outside the village, only two vehicles stopped at the checkpoint.

It was a surprise to hear the primary school mathematics teacher expound: "Thatcher they call her the Iron Lady, but she is not a woman. No woman would do what she did

to Bobby Sands.
"Galtieri? I don't know. support Argentina because it is the Third World, but its regime is bad, bad."

He listened to Israel radio "for the best music in the Middle East", but was impervious to its message. "Sharon? I would feed him to the dogs. then shoot the dogs."

His indignation would have been wasted on the officer checking the passports of the tourists in the Rotels, the two scarlet German juggernants which passed by the village, who did not blink at the Israeli document in the pile.

Tourism adds about £700m a year to the state's revenues; and while the Army forced one Rotel to drive on after the Germans went nude bathing in a nearby spring, Farafra's conservative way of life is doomed, its fate written in the billboards which proclaim every 20 miles "Bahariyah-Farafra Road, built by the Egyptian General Petroleum Company.

Asphalted two years ago the road has entered local psychology. A villager pointed out Gebel Shaikh Abdullah, one of the sulphur mounds which grow early as the desert sun sets. Asked when the shaikh, a revered mystic, bad been buried, he replied "a long time ago, before the road was built.

It is tempting to see Farafra as Egypt's last corner of noble simplicity, the one place where children do not endlessly intone "change money Mist-er?" Tempting that is, until the weak and fickle electricity supply fails after three hours

Robert Holloway

THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

Today's events

New exhibitions Works by Gordon Baldwin, touring exhibition. Temple Newsam House, Leeds; Tues to Sat 1.30 to 5,30 (from today until May 15).
Winter in Portugal: Embroidered

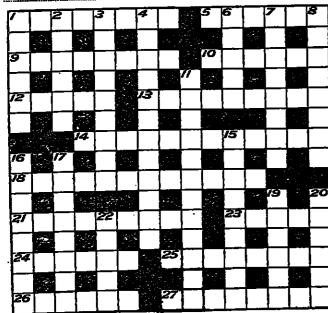


Solution of Puzzle No. 16,104

The Times Crossword Puzzle No. 16,105

A prize of The Traces Atlas of the World (comprehensive edition) will be given for the first correct solution opened next Thursday, Entries should be addressed to: The Times Saturday Crossword Competition, 12 Coley Street, London WC99 9YT. The winner and solution will be published next Saturday.

The winner of last Saturday's competition is Mrs E. M. K. Green, Corton Cottage, Hoylandswaine, Sheffield.



1 Measures mineral, we hear (6).

2 Commission of a sovereign (SA

3 Where one enters right into the

4 How the cricketer scores

8 Off work suffering from nostal

11 Shady plot in which mole

15 In love, copper delayed graft (9).

16 Spy's involved with infiltration of fashionable mediums (8).

17 March I spent initially inside most delightful place (8).

20 Many are not outwardly

19 Order to stop, say (6).

passionate (6).

crouches distraught (6,6).

quiet of earlier times (9).

6 What householders pay

unaided (3,3,3,3).

7 Story one acted out (8).

slates (5).

ACROSS

- 1 "Challenge" is, oddly, in quotes
- 5 Rails at every infraction (6).
- 9 Plain-spoken music and art (8). TO A purier for some pupils (6). 12 Cask is in North Africa (5).
- 13 Cavalry presses on to Middlemarch (9).
- 14 Engrossing pupil in rewriting composition (12).
- 18 Substitute horseman for one without a scat (8-4). 21 Bedouin boards most haphazard
- vehicle (9). 23 He used to teach pronouns (5).
- 24 Water at its hardest? It depends
- 25 French marshal that I left playing these bowls? (8).
- 26 Some gypsies take a nap (6).
- 27 Always returned payment with 22 Hand out vote to have respect (8).

landscapes by Jean Davey, Peter Dingley Gallery, 16 Meer Street, Strafford-on-Avon: Mon to Sat 9.30 Lo 1.30, 2.30 to 5.30, Thurs 9.30 to 1.30 (from today until May 7).

Five modern paintings from the Company of the Sat 10 to 5, Sat 10 to 1, 2 to 5 (from today until Impe 4).

Five modern paintings from the Tate Gallery, Ferens Art Gallery, Queen Victoria Sqquare, Hell; Mon

until August). Talks, lectures Chinese painting techniques, by Teh Hock Aun and Frank Dunbar

Recital by Hanson String Quarte inchester Polytechnic, Priory Street, Coventry, 8.

(from today until June 4). John Platt, 1728-1810, mason-

Street, Coventry, 8.

Concert by Bournemonth Symphony Orchestra, Poole Arts Centre,
Kingland Road, 7.30.

Concert by Halle Orchestra and
Sheffield Philharmonic Chorus,
City Hall, Sheffield, 7.

Concert by City of Birmingham
Symphony Orchestra, Eastbourne
Congress Theatre, 7.30.

Don Williams in Concert, St

Don Williams in Concert, David's Hall, Cardiff, 8 and 8.40. Chamber concert by Smetana String Quartet, Central Library, Bolton, 7.30. Folf concert by Pete Keenan. Folf concert by Pete Keenan Norwich Art Centre Premise

Norwich Art Centre Freinser Reeves Yard, St Benedicts, 8. Concert by Waveney Symphony Orchestra, St Michael's Church Beccles, 7.30. Concert by Swansea Philgarmo-nic Choir and Welsh Festival Orchestra, Brangwyn Hall, Swan-

sea, 7.30. General

Vintage sports car race meeting, Silverstone; veteran cars start parade 12.15, first event 1.15. Scottish oatcakes, with chef Monsieur Larry, for children 6 and over, Haggs Castle, Glasgow, 2.15. Salesian Missionary College art exhibition, Shrigley Pack, Shrigley near Macclesfield, today 3 to comorrow 11.30 to 5.

Tomorrow

Recital by Naxos Piano Quarte with Ronald Morrison (baritone) and Susan Bromley (violin), Henry Wood Hall, Glasgow, 12.45.

Open day at the Museum of Flight, East Fortune Airfield, North Berwick, 10 to 4. Childrens Festival: workshop, rusic, drama, art, craft, Sheffield

Anniversaries

TOMORROW

Births: Charles Montague, 1st Earl of Halifax, founder of the Bank of England, Horton Northampton shire, 1661; Wilbur Wright, avi ation pioneer, Millville, Indiana 1867: John Millington Synge Rathfarmham near 1871;Sir Charles Chaplin, Dublin 1889. Deaths: Aphra Behn, Drama-tist and novelist, London, 1689 George-Louis Leclerc, Counte de Buffon, naturalist, Paris. 1788; Henry Fusell, painter, London, 1825; Marie Tussaud, founder of the waxworks exhibition, London,

Birth: Edward Gibbon (May 8 new style), Princy, Surrey, 1737; J. P. Morgan, financier, Hartford, Con-

necticut, 1837; Constantine Cavafy, poet, Alexandria, Egypt, 1863; Sir Leonard Woolley, archaeologist, London, 1880. Benjamin Franklin, died in Philadelphia, 1790.

Gardens open

TODAY AND TOMORROW Wiltshire: Stourton House, Zeals, 3m NW of Mere: 4 acres dvided into individual gardens, musual spring bulbs, azaleas, rhododendrous, magnolias, rock garden; 12 to 6
TOMORROW
Berkshire: Culham Court, Aston.

architect; and Rotherham and Clifton House, 1783-1983; Clifton Park Museum, Clifton House, Rotherham; Mon to Thurs 10 to 5, Sat 10 to 5, Sun 2 to 5 (from today interesting rock garden; 2 to Buckinghamshire; Horsende Buckinghamshire: Horsender Manor, Horsenden, 11/m W o Princes Risborough off-A4010; 8

acre garden, fine trees, masses of daffodils, lake, moats, waterfalls; 2.30 to 6. Cambridgeshire: Bartlow Park, 11-m SE of Linton, 6m NE of Saffron Walden, off A604 at Linton; spring bulbs, flowering shrubs; 2 to 6. Leicestershire: Long Close, Woodhouse Eaves, Loughborough; 5 acres, rhododendrons, camellias, magnolias, spring bulbs, rare trees and shrubs; 2 to 6.

Northamptonshive: The Cottage.

Northamptonshire: The Cottage, Charlton, near Banbury, off A41 at Aynho; daffodils, stream and lakes; to 6.30. Northampton 2 to 6.30. Northamptonshire: Holly House, Charlton; walled garden, very good collection of deffodils; 2 to 6. Surrey: Vann, Hambiedon, 6m S of Godalming off A283 to Chiddingfold; 4½-acre garden, spring bulbs, azaleas, plant and vegetable stall; today until Friday 2 to 7. Sassex West: The Upper Lodge, Stopham, 1m W of Pulborough via A283 towards Petworth; small garden mainly rhododendrons, and azaleas, large collection of shrubs for acid soil; 2 to 5.

In the garden

Remove dead heads of daffodile Remove dead nears or united and on or cut down the foliage until at least six weeks after flowering. Water on a leaf feed of a soluble fertilizer three times at 10 day intervals. All bulbous plants

appreciate this leaf feeding.

If there are worn or thin patches in a lawn, prick up the top inch of soil and sow grass seed - 1 loc to the aquare yard is enough. Water well and cover the patches with plastic, pegged down with bent wire "hairpins". Or if you can find a local supply lay turves to replace worn
patches.

Prune forsythias as soon as the flowers have fallen: remove the top third to half of the stems that have third to half of the stems that have carried the flowers, and if necessary cut out any growths that may be congesting the middle of the bush. Forsythias grown as a hedge may be trimmed back to keep it shapely. delphiniums and various other herbaceous plants are growing fairly fact and need staking now. RH ast and need staking now.

The pound

	Dent	Dame
-	Boys	ŞeIlş
Australia S	1.84	1.76
Austria Sch	27.65	25.85
Belgium Fr	78.00	74,00
Canada S	1.96	1.88
Denmark Kr	13.86	13.16
Finland Mkk	8.76	8.26
France Fr	11.65	11.10
Germany DM	3.89	3.69
Greece Dr	136.00	125.00
	10.75	10.26
Hongkong \$	1.23	1.17
Ireland Pt	2285.00	
Italy Lira		
Japan Yen	385.00	365.00
Netherlands Gld	4.38	4.17
Norway &r	11.48	10.88
Portugal Esc	159.00	145.00
South Africa Rd	1.92	1.75
Spain Pta	212.00	201,00
Sweden Kr	12.00	11.40
Switzerland Fr	3.28	3.10
USA \$	1.59	1.53
Yugoslavia Dar	129.80	118.00
Retail Price Index	377.3	
Torder-The ET I	adam alama	4 m 6.6

London Marathon

The 1983 GLC London Marathon, sponsored by Gillette, starts at Shooters Hill Road (Blue Start) and Chariton Way (Red. Start). Blackheath, at 9.30 am tomorrow. The first runners should reach the finishing line on Westminster Bridge at about 11.40.

spectaning just by Big Ben.

Riverboat services.

The first services are: Westminster is Greenwich 10.30 (enriese -11.10); Greenwich 2 steepingster 11.15 (arrives 12.00); Towar Pictures 11.30; Greenwich 2 10.00 (arrives 11.30; Greenwich 2 10.00).

LYMALELIMIN JEINIONTEC
London's biggest evening street party, after
the marethon tomorrow, is at the Covent
Garden covered merical and is in aid of the
Greater London Fund for the Blind,
The prize-giving for the merathon winners is
at 7 pm, and furon 7.30 to 1 pm there will be
steel and jezz bands, pearly langs and queens,
clowns, busikers, two Elisa Doolitides and food
and driving.

Roads

London and South-East: Avoid Central London on Sunday; marathon route includes Greenwich, Isle of Dogs, Tower Bridge, Embankment, Northumberland Avenue, Trafalgar Square. The Mall, Birdcage Walk and Parliament Square. Woolwich ferry closed Sunday morning, AA/AA06: Electricity work on Chiswick roundabout.

Wales and West: A37 Temporary signals between Highlands road and Linwr Pentre, Old Colwyn. MS: Northbound exit stip road closed at

Llawr Pentre, Ozd. Colwyn. McK.
Northbound exit stip road closed at junction 25 (Taumton). Diversion via junction 26 (A38 Wellington).
Midlands and East Anglia: M1 lane closures north bound between junctions 27 and 28 near Mansfield.
A38: Closed tonight at Alrewas. Al:

Carriageway shared on Stangare Hill near Alconbury. North: M6 Southbound carriage way closed between junctions 41 and 42, south of Carlisle. A590 between Greenodd and Ulverston. M6: Lane closures between june tions 25 (A49 Wigan) and 27

gade closed until Monday for Links Market. A99: Lane and carriageway closures at Forth Road Bridge; diversion for wide loads.

Weather

A trough of low pressure will move slowly and erratically across N and W.

6 am to midnight

on, East Anglia, SE, E, and Control

S England, E ascessors bry, bright of summy pesiods; which S, moderate; max 15 to 17C (59 to 83F).

W Midlends, Central N and NE England, Borders, Edinburgh, Dundee: Dry, cloudy with rain later; wind S to SW, moderate; max 14 to 16C (57 to 61F).
Channel Islands, SW and NW England, Wales: Cloudy, rain spreading from W; wind S, moderate; max 11 to 19C (52 to 55F).

from W; wind S, moderate; max 11 to 19C (52 to 55F).

Lake District, Isle of Man, Aberdeen, SW Scotland, Glasgow, Central Highlands, Moray Firth: Cloudy, rain at times, clearer from W later, scattered showers; wind S to SW, moderate; max 9 to 11C (48 to 52F).

NE Scotland, Orlusey, Shetland: Cloudy, rain at times, becoming clearer, showers later; wind S, moderate or fresh; max 7 to 9C (45 to 48F).

Angril, NW Scotland, N Ireland: Rein clearing, showers later, wintry over high ground, sunny Intervals; wind S to SW, moderate or fresh; max 9 to 11C (48 to 52F).

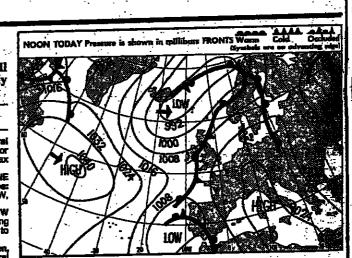
noeratures in the SE. temperatures in the Set. Straits of Dover, English Channel (E): Wind S, backing SE, moderate or fresh; sea stight or moderate. St George's Channel, Irish Sea: Wind S, moderate or resh, veering W. light; sea slight or

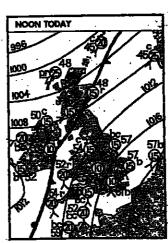
First Qurter: April 20.

Lighting-up time

Around Britain







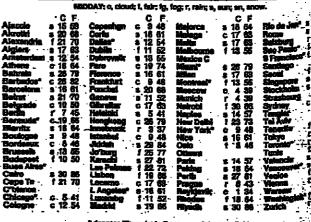
Yesterday London

Highest and lowest

High tides

TODAY AM6 543841446 10.246 10 HT31233124455274152492549954952172485349 4.28 4.00 10.03 1.32 8.34 1.22 8.04 8.32 2.23 12.47 9.05 1.45 12.01 225 8.50 7.50 8.25 7.35 2.01 1.42 9.06 8.28 2.16

Abroad



مركدا من الامل